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FIREMEN'S CONVENTION IN FULL SWING.

Donora Had No Opposition as Town in Which to Entertain the Delegates Next Year.

THE NEW ROSTER OF OFFICERS.

Clanging of Cow Bells Tabooed by Resolution of a Delegate—Town Is Filling Up With Visitors for the Big Parade Tomorrow.

Donora will get the next convention of the Western Pennsylvania Firemen's Association. Without opposition Tuesday afternoon the Monongahela river town soared into the honor, and instead of the usual balloting, a roaring unanimous motion decided the matter. Charleroi, Rochester, Aspinwall and other points were reported to be after the honor. Donora's walk-over is attributed largely to the fact that last year she was an interesting rival of Connellsville at Latrobe. In fact the Donora boys, the youngest company in the convention, made a good showing at Latrobe when the ballots were counted. Delegate Kirkwood of Donora, in his speech, offered the convention a model "boom" town, the best hotels in the Monongahela valley and the freedom of the tranquil Monongahela.

The nomination of officers was next in importance at Tuesday afternoon's session. Squire Charles F. Engle of McKees Rocks, one of the picturesque figures here, had the Presidency cinched. His only opponent was Benj. H. Hough of Wilmerding, whose boom was launched a little too late to be effective. For Vice Presidents there was some lively balloting. George S. Wier of Sharpsburg; John F. Lowers of North Braddock, and Elisha Kattex, of Jeannette. W. F. Sharrah of Braddock had no opposition for secretary and James H. Steel of Wilkinsburg will be the next Treasurer. President John L. Musser will represent the Association at the State Convention with either S. G. Smith of McKees Rocks or Chief Martin A. Coyne of Connellsville as alternate. Dr. W. E. Blackburn of Latrobe was elected delegate to the National Convention at St. Louis this month. 'Squire Engle will go with him. The delegate was instructed to boom legislation for a Firemen's pension fund for volunteer firemen, their widows and orphans, and to compel the selection of volunteer firemen for salaried positions when paid departments are established. The convention deplored the fact that the state law providing two per cent. of the insurance tax for a firemen's relief fund does not materially aid small towns, on account of the small amount of foreign insurance in small boroughs.

Col. Mike Kelly of Scottdale and Squire C. F. Engle of McKee's Rocks were made Sergeants at Arms when the convention opened in the Connellsville Theater Tuesday afternoon. Rev. W. V. Barnhart of the United Brethern church prayed. The Committee on Credentials is composed of C. A. Sheets of Braddock; Fred Hill of Evans City and Geo. Wier of Sharpsburg. Attorney E. C. Higbee of Connellsville delivered the address of welcome, offering the firemen the freedom of Connellsville and welcoming them for a glad and happy time. W. F. Sharrah responded in a strenuously happy vein. Much of the time of the convention was taken up by routine business, reports, etc.

William A. Kessler of Homestead, spoke against cow bells. The bells, he stated, annoyed peaceful citizens at night and were discordant, jangling and generaly obnoxious. Sam. L. Ramsey of Homestead is the cow bell man. Five years ago he introduced the fad into a convention. With gallantry he gave up the enterprise and seconded Kessler's motion that the bells ring off. Chiefs will instruct their companies accordingly.

This year the firemen will devote considerabe time to discussing instructive topics before the convention. Methods of fighting fire, new appliances, peculiar conditions found and sundry subjects of a like instructive nature will be aired in the intermissions.

By motion the reading of the minutes of the tenth annual convention was dispensed with and approved as published in pamphlet form the report of the four meetings of the Executive Committee during the year.

The report of the Law Committee was interesting. It was made by Secretary W. F. Sharrah. At the last convention an amendment to Section 1 of Article II of the Constitution was referred to this committee for consideration and a recommendation. The amendment changed the time of the annual convention from the present time to the last week in July. Several departments situated along the main line of the Pennsylvania were in favor of this amendment. Jeannette wants the convention earlier on account of the annual shut-down of the glass plants there. Pitcairn figures on the Pennsylvania railroad pay day, and says the department members would have more money if the convention was at the last instead of the first of the month. For a number of reasons the amendment was discouraged, and finally it was lost by a motion. It seems that almost every department has different ideas on the subject and in order to come as near as possible to pleasing all the matter was allowed to rest as it is.

The Finance and Transportation Committee reported that better rates had been secured this year from the railroad companies than ever before, principally on account of the opposition between the Trunk Line Association and the P. & L. E. railroad. Telegrams of regret were read from Vice Presidents B. F. Hough of Wilmerding and E. C. Pohland of Latrobe.

E. J. Perry of Greensburg asked for some time to get his report of the State Convention forwarded from his home. E. J. Perry, W. J. Roseboro and Dr. W. E. Blackburn were appointed a committee on resolutions for the members of the Association who have died during the past year. These are Chief Charles B. Stillwagon of Connellsville, Chief Joseph Hueing of Rochester, Chief John F. Mitinger of Greensburg, Firemen W. I. Jack of Homestead and Paul Frosch of Mt. Oliver.

At the suggestion of Squire Engle 20 minutes was given over to the discussion of live topics of interest to firemen. The generation of gas in burning houses, the utility of chemical engines, and a number of kindred subjects were spoken on briefly, much to the entertainment and instruction of the firemen present.

The matter of calling the roll, which was omitted at Tuesday's meeting of the convention, was brought up the first thing when the convention convened this morning at 10 o'clock. Roseborough of McKeesport made a neat speech on this, asking that the roll be called at every session of the convention. He said that he thought it was the duty of every delegate to be present at every meeting. Their expenses, he said, should not be paid if they were unfaithful to their duty. By motion it was decided to call the roll. The roll of delegates and of members of the Association was then called. The attendance was remarkably good.

The Memorial Resolution Committee, composed of E. C. Perry, W. J. Roseborough and Dr. W. E. Blackburn, reported in a most fitting manner. The hand of Providence has been laid with an unusual relentlessness upon the Association within the past year. The resolutions contained a touching tribute to the memory of Chief John F. Mitinger of Greensburg. He was named as a man of countless worth to the Association and to the best interests of Western Pennsylvania firemen. Chief Charles B. Stillwagon of the Connellsville Department was mentioned especially for his fidelity to the local firemen and the Association.

Secretary W. F. Sharrah of Braddock, read his anual report. It was one of the pleasures of the convention. Strong in oratory, masterful in expression and generally interesting, it was greatly appreciated by the convention, which unanimously tendered Mr. Sharrah, who today will enter upon his seventh term as secretary of the convention, a heartfelt vote of thanks.

Electrician Cox.

"Buddy" Cox, a member of the Connellsville Fire Department, is resplendent in the role of department electrician. On a neat hand wagon he has mounted storage batteries for a strong electric searchlight. This will be with the apparatus in the parade and it will make a hit. A button on the handle of the wagon rings a continuous bell and the whole outfit is most up-to-date and practical. At the recent fire which destroyed Dull's feed store, Electrician Cox and his light rendered valuable service.

The Street Musicians.

A scene, the fun of which nearly bordered on the pathetic, occurred this morning in front of the Smith House. A blind violinist who has frequently visited Connellsville, was playing plaintively before the hotel when a crowd of McKeesport firemen came along. It was the ending of an all-night stunt when one of their number took the violin and played with the cleverness of a born musician. A big crowd quickly gathered, and while a quartette from the Steel City sang, a collection was taken up by several of their number. It was a rich harvest for the blind musician, and it gave the big crowd which assembled a better opinion of Fire Laddies' big heartedness. It was William Bennett and William Henderson of McKeesport, who engineered the proceedings.

Meet All Comers.

East Pittsburg will have a racing team to meet all comers. They will arrive over the Pennsylvania railroad this evening and will enter all the advertised races. Their luck last year was not very good, but they expect to better i materially. Their racing team has been training and good results are expected.

Wilmerding's Troubles.

The high mountain winds at night makes trouble for the Wilmerding delegation, who are encamped on the South Side. Each night it is necessary for them to lower their big canvass, and even with this precaution it has been repeatedly necessary for them to tighten up the guy ropes.

Off for the Fair.

Etna will not have a big showing in the parade tomorow. The Etna boys have planned a trip to the World's Fair, and are saving their money for that purpose. They will have 35 men in town, however, and are having an excellent time.

Is Not Running.

Ben F. Hough, the big, good natured Vice-President from Wilmerding, is not in the race for President, in spite of the fact that he was nominated yesterday. His name was mentioned without his knowledge. Hough is an ardent admirer and supporter of 'Squire Engle of McKees Rocks. This leaves a clean sweep for Engle. He is still keeping things straight at the Pittsburg street entrance of the theatre, and no delegate can pass his strenuous presence without the permision of President Musser.

Coming Today.

A number of full departments are expected this evening. Each contingent will be met at the train by the Connellsville band and escorted to their headquarters. Everything possible is being done for the comfort and convenience of the firemen.

Shetland Pony Race.

All boys owning Shetland ponies who wish to enter the pony parade Thursday afternoon are requested to meet on the South Side at 1:30 p. m. The boys will wear white shirt waists red ties and blue sashes. This will be one of the special features of the parade.

Notes of the Convention.

The delegate's badge is attracting much attention among the firemen on account of its unique design. The obverse side shows a view of the old Davidson tipple, where Joseph H. Paddock was killed during the famous strike of 1891. The inverse side bears an appropriate inscription. A maroon ribbon adds much to the beauty of the badge, which is finely finished. There is a great demand for the souvenirs.

Cow Bells Supplanted.

Horse fiddles have taken the place of cow bells. The change say many citizens of Connellsville, is not for the better. The bells, it is figured, have a more melodious ring than the discordant ripplings of the equestrian violins. The officers are watching the cow bells closely, and none are allowed in action on the principal streets.

PARKER—Davy, that animal has a wicked look atime in his left eye, and we must jolly him a lot.

BASE BALL TODAY.

Elks in Connellsville and Columbia in New Haven.

There is plenty of base ball in Connellsville and New Haven this week, but the games have been poorly patronized. Yesterday afternoon the C. A. C. and the Columbia teams both won their games. The Columbias won from the strong Wilkinsburg Independents, one of the strongest amateur nines in Western Pennsylvania. The score was 7 to 3. The game was a very clean one, the fielding on both sides being sharp and accurate. The Columbias batted in better form than Wilkinsburg. They also hit timely, their hits coming at times when there were men on bases. Bishop, E. Duggan and King in the infield carried off the fielding honors, while John Duggan and Ritchie, particularly the former, got hard chances that saved runs in the outfield.

Walter Sneddon pitched a fine game. It is the first time he has pitched in his early season form for several weeks. He had lots of speed, an assortment of sharp benders and good control.

The game at Marietta & Stillwagon park was between the C. A. C. and Scottdale nines. The home boys won by a score of 4 to 3. The game was a brilliant one, interspersed with hard and long hitting.

This morning the Connellsville Elks lost to Allegheny in an exhibition game by a score of 8 to 7. Allegheny did all their scoring early in the game, chiefly on errors. Francis hit a three bagger in Connellsville's half of the seventh and Whaley singled. One man was out. Rist hit to short and a double play resulted, retiring the side. Only seven innings were played by agreement. Unless the rain prevents Allegheny and Connellsville will play a League game this afternoon.

FILLING CREEK BED.

George A McCormick Says That It Shuts Off His Water Supply

AND POWER TO RUN HIS MILL.

Has Brought Action at Uniontown to Recover $5,000 Damages—Old Flour Mill Is One of the Landmarks of Fayette County.

Ex-Sheriff George A. McCormick, through Attorneys Robinson & McKean, has brought an action at Uniontown in trespass against the Dunbar Furnace Company to recover $5,000 damages. The plaintiff says in the papers filed that since December 20, 1901 he has been the owner of about 142 acres of land, adjoining Dunbar borough the Speer heirs, lands of the defendant company and others. A flouring mill was erected on the property in 1816 and has been in almost constant use ever since by the various owners who have had title to the property since the mill was erected. A dam was built some distance above from which power for grinding was furnished.

McCormick claims that he had the legal right to use the waters of the stream and that no person or corporation above had any legal right to interfere with such right. He says that on or about April 1, 1903, the furnace company began to fill the bed of the creek with slag and other refuse from the furnace thus diverting the waters from the natural channel. This soon began to interfere with plaintiff's business and it was necessary to stop every hour or so to allow water enough to collect that the mill could be started again. After a short time he was obliged to do away with water altogether and substitute steam, thereby incurring a large expense. McCormick says that he repeatedly notified the company to cease filling in the stream, but they paid no attention to his wishes.

The Speers mill is one of the oldest in Fayette county and is a landmark in that section. In the early history of the county it was patronized by people from far and near and was one of the principal trading centers of Dunbar township. After the introduction of the modern processes of flour making, but little business was done at the mill until Sheriff McCormick took charge about three years ago, since which time it has had a good patronage and is said to be doing most excellent work. Several suits have been brought in the courts of this county within the past few years on account of corporations diverting the natural course of streams. The outcome of this will be watched.

Murderer Declared Insane.

Honesdale, Pa., Aug. 10.—Stephen Haggerty, who murderously assaulted his brothers and sisters in Hawley with a hatchet, has been declared insane and the court ordered him taken to the Danville asylum.

Jealousy Causes Triple Crime.

St. Louis, Aug. 10.—John P. Johnson, a negro living at Kinloch Park, a suburb, shot his wife, wounding her severely, killed his mother-in-law and himself. Jealousy is said to have been the cause.

MRS. MARIA LOUISE PAGE.

An Aged Resident of Connellsville Passes Away.

Mrs. Maria Louise Page, aged 81 years, widow of the late Henry Page, of Connellsville, died Tuesday evening at 5 o'clock at the home of her niece, Mrs. J. S. Patterson, of Fairview avenue. The funeral services will be conducted Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Bryner, on South Pittsburg street. Rev. P. S. Cartwright, pastor of the Trinity Episcopal Church of New Haven, will have charge of the services. The interment will be private in Chestnut Hill Cemetery.

Deceased was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Freeman and was born at Breakneck, October 21, 1823. Mr. Freeman was one of the earliest settlers and business men of Connellsville. For a number of years he conducted a foundry where the Immaculate Conception Church now stands. He was also interested in the old paper mill on Third street, New Haven. September 9, 1841, the deceased was married to Henry Page, who held the position of justice of the peace here for a number of years. He was also United States Deputy Marshal for three years. Deceased had been in the best of health up until the past two weeks, her death being caused by a complication of diseases. She was one of the oldest residents of Connellsville and was a devout member of the Trinity Episcopal Church of New Haven. She was the mother of ten children six of whom are living: Mrs. Emma Page Zimmerman of Braddock, Mrs. M. E. Bryant of Edgewood, Mrs. J. S. Bryner of Connellsville, Mrs. J. W. Cross of Allegheny, Harry H. Page of East End, Pittsburg, and Charles Page of Mt. Pleasant. She is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Strawn Murphy of Moyer and Mrs. George Galloway of Portland, Ore.

NEW TROLLEY ROAD.

Will Be Built From Brownsville to Uniontown.

A force of workmen will begin in a few days on the new trolley line to be built between Uniontown and Brownsville. The road will be built mostly by Philadelphia, New York and Eastern capitalists of unlimited means and the question of cost will hardly be considered. Hon. John R. Byrne, formerly of the Monessen street car line but now representing the new company, says that it will be pushed through as rapidly as possible. The line will be laid over Market street in Brownsville, and from thence to Bridgeport and on to Uniontown. Surveys have also been made for branches from the river town to Washington and other towns west of the river, but the line to Uniontown will be completed first. Mr. Byrne will have charge of the construction work. The location of a power house has not yet been decided upon. This seems to be a somewhat difficult problem, as there are serious natural difficulties to be overcome before its location can be definitely fixed.

Was False Alarm.

The fire whistle was heard to blow about seven o'clock this morning, and those few of the firemen who were wide enough awake to make any attempt whatever to answer it were disappointed, for their trouble was all for nothing. The alarm was a false one, and no damage was reported as being done.

Colored Knights in Session.

The colored Knights of Pythias are in convention at Johnstown.

SUPREME TEST AT HAND IN THE FAR EAST.

Japanese Armies Concentrating for Desperate Attack on the Strongholds at Liaoyang and Mukden.

TOMORROW'S PARADE.

Order in Which Firemen Will Move Over the Streets.

Following is the official plan of the big parade tomorrow, Thursday afternoon. It was prepared by Chief Martin A. Coyne of the Connellsville Department and Chief C. M. Miller of the New Haven Department. The line up is subject to change.

First Division, mounted police, Chief Marshal R. Marietta and staff; aides, Tenth Regiment Band, Latrobe Fire Department, Good Will No. 1, Second Ward No. 2, Free Will No. 3.

Second Division, Gardner Band of Greensburg, Greensburg Companies Nos. 1 and 2, South Greensburg, Donora Fire Department, Aspinwall Fire Department.

Third Division, Second Brigade Band, McKee's Rocks Fire Department, Jeannette Companies Nos. 1, 2 and 3, McKeesport Fire Department.

Fourth Division, Rutter's Uniontown Band, Union Hose Company No. 1, Keystone No. 2, Chief Williams' Hook and Ladder Company, Homestead Fire Department, Irwin Fire Department.

Fifth Division, Ligonier Band, Ligonier Fire Department, Avalon Fire Department, Barnesboro Fire Department, Butler Fire Department.

Sixth Division, Scottdale Band, Scottdale Fire Department, Turtle Creek Fire Department, West Jeannette Fire Department, Kittanning Fire Department.

Seventh Division, Braddock Band, Braddock Fire Department, Beaver Fire Department Esplen Fire Department, Derry Fire Department, Evans City Fire Department.

Eighth Division, Mt. Pleasant Band, Mt. Pleasant Fire Department, McKeesport Fire Department, Pitcairn Fire Department, South Greensburg Fire Department, East Pittsburg Fire Department.

Ninth Division, Charleroi Drum Corps, Charleroi Fire Department, Ford City Fire Department, Monongahela City Fire Department, Leechburg Fire Department, Beaver Fire Department.

Tenth Division, Collins Band of Vanderbilt, New Kensington Fire Department, New Castle Fire Department, Mt. Olive Fire Department, Sharpsburg Fire Department, Wilmerding Fire Department, Wilkinsburg Fire Department.

Eleventh Division, Whitaker Band, Whitaker Fire Department, Verona Fire Department, Oakdale Fire Department Monaca Fire Department, Ludwick Fire Department Vandergrift Fire Department.

Twelfth Division, Connellsville Military Band, New Haven Fire Department, Connellsville Fire Department, officers of Association Town Council, citizens.

STOLE DECORATIONS.

Two Trainmen Sentenced in Police Court This Morning.

J. C. Painter and James O'Donnell both of Connellsville, were arrested yesterday on the charge of stealing flags from some of the decorations on Peach street. When arrested the flags were found on them. They admitted their guilt to the Burgess this morning. The decorations belonged to Frank G. Silver, who did the work for the firemen. Mr. Silver decided that he would not prosecute them, but would let the Burgess use his discretion in the matter. They were given five days each.

Joe Deshland, a foreigner, was charged with being a suspicious character and following a girl around the street for several hours last night. He was fined $10 and given five days in default.

FIFTH ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Boslett Are Five Years Married.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Boslett celebrated their fifth wedding anniversary Tuesday evening with a dance and euchre. The affair was one of the most enjoyable events of the season and was held in the Eagles' Hall. Music was furnished by Guyton's Orchestra and dancing was kept up until after midnight. Luncheon was served at midnight by Caterers Bishop and Sherrick. Mr. and Mrs. Boslett were the recipients of many handsome and costly presents. There were about 35 couples present.

The out-of-town guests present were the Misses Maloy of Virginia, Miss Finnegan of Pittsburg, Miss Ryling of Cumberland, Miss Celia Keltz and Miss Emma Boslett of Latrobe, Miss Laura Hite of Pittsburg and Mr. and Mrs. Maag of Lonaconing, Md.

Miss Margaret McKarnes.

Miss Margaret McKarnes died this morning at her home on South Arch street, aged 60 years. The funeral services will be held on Friday morning from her late home. The interment will be in Hill Grove Cemetery. Rev. E. B. Burgess will have charge of the services. Miss McKarnes is survived by her brother, John McKarnes, and one sister, Miss Harriet.

Eighty Identified.

Pueblo, Col., Aug. 10.—[Special.]—Eighty dead bodies have been identified from the Dry creek wreck victims on the Rio Grade railroad. There are two unidentified bodies and 32 persons missing.

ARE AIDED BY 10,000 CHINESE

Japanese Capture Wolf Hills at Port Arthur, Thereby Gaining Position Commanding Main Fortress—Rain May Save Kuropatkin.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 10.—Although Lieutenant General Sakharoff reports that there is no change in the situation around Liaoyang it is evident from the special dispatches to the Associated Press from Liaoyang and Sintsintin that the Japanese are continuing their preparations for a flanking movement, which may possibly alter the nature of the expected engagement at Liaoyang, and which may also further delay the crucial development.

The concentration of a strong Japanese force at Saimatsze indicates an intention to press forward towards Mukden, and if possible to cut the communications and prevent General Kuropatkin from retiring northward. General Kuropatkin is evidently aware of this move and is sending out reconnoitering parties from Sintsintin along the Saimatzse road. This is shown by the slight encounter with a Japanese outpost within 30 miles of Sintsintin. The Japanese are also bringing up strong forces from Yiukow.

A column marching from Newchwang with the evident intention of flanking Liaoyang from the westward included 10,000 Chinese from the island of Formosa who are Japanese subjects.

Japanese Capture Wolf Hills.

A dispatch from Lieutenant General Stoessel, commander of the Russian military forces at Port Arthur, confirms previous reports that the Japanese are in possession of Wolf hill. The general says that on July 30 the Russians withdrew from their position on Wolf hill before the numerical superiority of the Japanese.

General Stoessel estimates the number of Japanese attacking Port Arthur at 70,000.

General Stoessel locates Yuplaza mountain as situated 10 miles northeast of Port Arthur and says that the Japanese attack on that position was only a demonstration, the real assault of the Japanese being made on the Russian positions on Wolf Hills, which he points out as only six miles northward and near the railroad station.

The general staff explains that this position consists of a long crest of hills offering a great advantage, owing to their proximity to the fortress, which can be reached by the long-range siege guns of the enemy.

The Associated Press correspondent at Liaoyang points out the alarming character of this development, and fears that the example may prove contagious. If the local Chinese are induced to join the Japanese it will be impossible to distinguish the Formosan and Manchurian Chinese. This revives the spectre of Chinese embroilment with the more remote possibility of foreign entanglements.

Chinese Cause Anxiety.

There is considerable anxiety regarding the presence of General Yuan Shi Kai, commander-in-chief of the Chinese forces and General Ma, with strong forces of troops in the north, lest, should a convenient opportunity present itself, they would be tempted to overstep the bounds of neutrality.

Although it now seems improbable that anything can prevent a Japanese attack on Liaoyang, one of the Associated Press correspondents in reporting the prevalence of heavy rains expresses the hope that the elements may again prove to be Russia's allies just as they did in 1812. The prospect of rains heavy enough to arrest military operations is not likely; however, as the time for the rainy season is now past.

There is an unconfirmed rumor that Lieutenant General Linevitch is bringing large forces to Mukden to reinforce General Kuropatkin. General Linevitch's troops are stationed around Vladivostok and it is doubtful if they could arrive at Liaoyang in time.

Kuropatkin Awaits Attack.

Liaoyang, Aug. 10.—General Kuropatkin is ready to defeat the Japanese plan for cutting off Liaoyang. The Japanese forces are concentrated in three groups—the first at Siaoucheng, Haicheng and Newchwang; the second threatening Laindianslan and Liaoyang, and the third threatening Siksayar, Liaoyang and Mukden. According to Chinese reports the Japanese are massing in the direction of Saimatsze, evidently flanking Liaoyang, and a strong column is ascending the Liao valley from Newchwang, also for the purpose of flanking Liaoyang.

A Chinese merchant declares this column includes 10,000 Chinese, Japanese subjects from the island of Formosa. This most unwelcome development may induce other Chinese to join the Japanese. It is hard to tell a Formosan from a Manchurian.

Boarding House Blown Up.

Butte, Mont., Aug. 10.—The residence of Mrs. Bella Power was almost demolished by three unknown men, who placed a charge of giant powder in a closet. Several boarders were slightly injured. There is no clue to the perpetrators or to their motive.

News From The Upper Yough Region.

OHIOPYLE.

Notes from the Little Mountain Resort Up the Yough.

Ohiopyle, August, 10.—Mrs. William Likins of Uniontown, wife of the editor of the People's Tribune, is spending a few days at this place as the guest of Mrs. W. R. Johnson.

A. D. Elliott and son of near Mill Run were transacting business in our metropolis yesterday.

Morris Morris, James Zebley, Andrew Hall and Harry Leonard were business callers in town yesterday.

Miss May Simpson of Mill View street, Uniontown, is visiting friends at this place. She is stopping with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson, corner Broadway and River avenue.

L. C. King, after a six months tour of the world, is again with us. During his tour he passed through Europe, Asia, and Africa and spent two weeks at the World's Fair at St. Louis. He also passed through 37 states of the U. S. and spent two weeks in Mexico. He arrived in town shortly after 9 a. m. yesterday on his new automobile, the Hottentot.

The O. P. A. C. were at practice yesterday in preparation for the game with the Victor A. C. of Pittsburg at this place tomorrow at 2 p. m. Come and see the game. Don't fail.

The board walk in front of C. M. Sailor's opera house was torn up yesterday by the owner of the building preparatory to putting down a new asphalt pavement.

Thomas Glotfelty arrived home from Connellsville where he was transacting business Monday on train No. 10, Monday night.

The Jubilee Singers in charge of Rev. J. W. E. Nash, held a concert in Rainier Park pavilion Monday night, quite a number of our town's people being present.

Rev. Stevens delivered an eloquent sermon in he Baptist church Monday evening.

Prayer meeting in Baptist church tonight; prayer meeting tomorrow night in the M. E. church; Baptist Yougn People's Meeting in Baptist church Friday evening. Come to all of these services.

Leave your items of interest in care of P. O. Box No. 98.

Misses Mamie and Lena McCartney of Farmington, spent Sunday with Ohiopyle friends.

Matthew Williams was in Uniontown on business Monday.

Jake Dull of Connellsville was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Colborn on Monday.

Mrs. W. R. Johnson was a Connellsville visitor Monday.

Mrs. Milliard and two children and Mrs. M. Seaton and the Misses Sauter of Connellsville spent Sunday with Miss Sallie Seaton and Annabel Millard.

Misses Flora and Lorena Williams of Uniontownn are spending a few days with relatives here.

Frank Potter and E. W. Fogel of Monaca, spent Sunday with relatives and friends here.

Miss Lee McNeil, a nurse in the Uniontown hospital, is spending her vacationn with her aunt, Mrs. H. Jones at Ranier Par.

Mrs. C. L. E. Cartwright paid a flying visit to her home at Scottdale this week. She was accompanied by Miss Effie Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McFarland of Indian Creek, were Sunday visitors in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wallace who have been visiting relatives near here have returned to their home at Indian Creek.

Miss Mary Simpson of Uniontown, is the guest of Mrs. W. R. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stouffer of Duquesne, are spending a two weeks vacation at this place.

Miss Helena Williams was at Bilwell Monday attending to the books of the Ohiopyle Lumber Company at their store at that place.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church met at the residence of Mrs. D. Woodmancy Saturday night and spent a very enjoyable evening. They combined business with pleasure by planning some work for the near future. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. Mrs. C. L E. Cartwright of the Ladies' Aid Society of Scottdale was present and gave some helpful hints for the society.

Miss Martha Mitchell of McKees Rocks is spending a few days with relatives here.

Raymond B. Dean, clerk in the Westinghouse works at Wilmerding, accompanied by his sister, Miss Effie, is spending his vacation with his aunt, Mrs. Matthew Williams. They will also visit relatives at Farmington before returning home.

Mrs. Calvin Reckmond and child of Somerfield, are visiting relatives near here.

Miss Dorcas Mitchell who has been visiting relatives near Uniontown, returned to her home here on Friday.

Mrs. Fred Felty and son, Elwood, of Connellsville, spent Sunday and Monday with relatives here.

Mrs. B. S. McNutt and two children, and Miss Ella Jackson, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Jesse Strickler, at Belleville, Ohio, returned home Sunday.

Miss Bess Colborn is the guest this week of Mrs. Fred Felty at Connellsville.

Two more camping parties have arrived in town. Camp Alert of McKeesport, and a comp from Pittsburg. The members of Camp Alert have been coming here for several years and always have an enjoyable time.

Richard Rafter, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Rafter, returned Monday to his home at Elm Grove.

Prof. and Mrs. C. S. Smith and children of Dunbar, who have been visiting relatives here returnehodem emfwy relatives here returned home on Monday.

Miss Bertha Williams of Connellsville spent Sunday at her home at this place.

Mrs. H. Q. Holt and Mrs. Charles Lewis spent Monday with friends at Bear Run.

Walter Colborn of Mill Run was a caller in town on Monday.

Mrs. Milton Wildey, who has been visiting relatives at Connellsville has returned home.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a pox social on the pavilion at Rainier Park Saturday night, August 13. The ladies will all be present, provided with all the good things of the season. A guess cake will be one of the features of the evening, and will be baked by Mrs. C. L. E. Cartwright. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

Thomas Adams of Connellsville was a visitor to our town on Monday.

George Galer Jr., is spending a few days with his brother, Sam, at Connellsville.

Mrs. Alf Mitchell is slowly improving.

The two children of Wm. Anderson who have been seriously ill with typhoid fever are improving.

MT. BRADDOCK.

The Rainey Coke Cown Has Six Base Ball Clubs.

Mt. Braddock, Aug. 9.—The new machine shop of W. J. Rainey is about ready for the roof.

Daniel Handlin has added a new addition to his house. He also has given it a new coat of paint.

James Shipley has had himself a new house built on "Rosy Hill."

Who can beat this? We have no less than six base ball clubs here

All who have items for The Courier leave them at the barber shop on the corner.

The Scramblers are going one day this week to Revere to play a return game at that place.

John White, clerk in the Rainey store, returned home one day last week after a four days visit at his home at Moundsville, Va.

W. D. Blacka and wife of Dunbar passed through here on Sunday en route to Yanger Hollow.

Rev. P. T. Conaway lectured here in the Union church on Sunday evening on prohibition to a large attendance.

The Pechla base ball team came up yesterday afternoon and did battle with the first nine The former team was victorious by a score of 9 to 8 Pechin team raised a dispute in the eighth inning and left the field. Both teams will meet next Tuesday afternoon on the former's grounds to play a return game and whichever team wins is entitled to both games.

Ben Williams of Revere was among our callers yesterday

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SMITHFIELD.

Ball Team Won a Splendid Victory from Carmichaels.

Smithfield, Aug 9.—I. M D Low is still confined to his room, a sufferer from lumbago. Dr J F. Holbert of Fairchance is his attending physician

Smithfield's second nine and the Old Frame played ball here Friday, the result being 14 to 7 in favor of Old Frame. Carmichaels and the Little Red Devils will play the deciding game at Cycle park, Uniontown, Friday.

The Second Baptist Church, colored, are holding a successful campmeeting in Weaver's Grove

G. W. Campbell will represent Jerry Jones Post G. A. R. at the National Encampment at Boston, Mass.

M. F Coburn, wife daughter Ruth, and Master John of South Union township were Sunday visitors. Mr. Coburn is inspector for Architect Cooper and has charge of several buildings in course of construction in the county, among them the fine school building at Fairchance

The Fayette Cas Company gives the borough 10 street lights. Council at its last meeting ordered the lamps and decided on their location. It also passed a resolution that it would furnish gas free to any individuals that would erect lamps in front of their property.

SALTLICK TOWNSHIP.

Bright Chat from the Top of Laurel Ridge Mountains.

Saltlick, August 9.—Farmers are mostly done haying and some oats are on shock.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eicher and two children of Scottdale, Mrs. Mary Wertz and two children and Mrs Elizabeth Kenny and children of Mount Pleasant were all visiting friends here last week.

Some of the lumber mills are on a vacation but will soon run again.

Quarterly meeting next Sunday at the Emanuel church. Presiding Elder J J. Carmany of Ohio will conduct it.

Dumbauld & Kennell of Newill's Mills are hauling wheat from Somerset county. The Somerset county farmers produce a good quality of wheat.

George Hoover had an arm broken unloading a mowing machine. Dr. M. C. Hunter reduced the fracture and Mr. Hoover will soon be able to work again.

John L Schultz of Allegheny county was here looking after a house to live in. We hope he will succeed in getting one as we would welcome him back to his native heath. He is a veteran of the civil war, lost a limb at Hatchers Run. Politically John is a Democrat and would be O K. in Saltlick.

EWING DILLS KILLED.

New Geneva Man Meets Death at Duquesne, Pa.

New Geneva, August 9.—The friends and relatives of Ewing Dils of Duquesne, Pa., were shocked on Saturday night to hear a telephone of his death. He was repairing the track on which the electric cars runs The boy that works the crane by some oversight run it over Mr. Dils and injured him so badly that he died at 5 o'clock Saturday evening. The body arrived here on Sunday evening. He is survived by his wife and four children. His mother, three bothers and one sister are also living. He was a son of the late Peter Dils. The family have the sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement.

NEW HAVEN.

Local Matters From the Sister Borough Across the Youghiogheny.

Mrs. Lewis White of Vanderbilt, was shopping and calling on friends in New Haven Monday.

Mrs. William Knight of Vanderbilt, was the guest of her sister Mrs Oscar Shoenberger of Seventh street on Monday.

Mrs. John McGill of Dunbar was shopping in New Haven on Monday.

Miss Vera and Hayden McBeth of Fourth street who have been the guest of relatives in Coalport, Pa., for the past month returned home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Kincell of Main street, has returned home from a visit with relatives in Waltersburg.

Mrs. Thomas Matthews and daughter, Miss Jennie, of Uniontown, are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Provance Buttermore of Main street.

J. C. Sherrard of near Vanderbilt was calling on friends in New Haven Tuesday

Miss Anna Johnson of Sixth street is recuperating at Chautauqua. She will remain there for two weeks

Miss Plezzie Maust of Uniontown who has been the guest of her cousin Miss Nellie Maust of Main street for the past few days returned home on Tuesday.

Miss Dasie Hinebaugh of Uniontown is the guest of Miss Sarah Hetzel of Main street.

Groceryman F. S. Scott has moved his store and family to the Welsh property on Main street.

Mrs Charles Hoop of Vanderbilt was the guest of Mrs John Hoop of Main street Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs Charles McIntyre of Seventh street left Tuesday morning for Cambridge Springs where they will sojourn for several weeks. Mr. McIntyre recently recovered from a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Emmor Stephens of Washington township was calling on friends in New Haven Tuesday. He was on his way to Ruffsdale where he will spend several days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Artman of German township were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holland Piersol of Main street.

Miss Amelia Fonwalt of Fourth street has returned home from a visit with friends in Confluence.

Miss Myrtle Kincaid of Eighth street has returned home from a visit with friends at Star Junction

Harry Roberts of Homestead was calling on friends in New Haven on Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. William Garee and family of Flatwoods are the guests of Mr. and Mrs J. D. Johnson of Main street.

Fred Harmening of Philadelphia is the guest of Howard Markle of Sixth street

Mrs H. S. Hourigy of Main street is the guest of friends at Dawson

Mrs. H A Lauffer and daughter, Miss Maud, of Manor, were the guests of Mrs Elizabeth Marchand of Fourth street Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs Alfred Yanger of Shamrock, and Mrs William Yanger of Uniontown are the guests of Mrs Alex. Hager of Main street

Mrs James McGuire of Pittsburg was the guest of friends in New Haven Tuesday.

WIDOW MAKES ARRANGEMENTS.

Secures Marriage License at Cumberland and Meets Intended Husband.

Cumberland, Md August 9.—Mrs Mary Abigail Broderick, 57 years old of Pompey, near Syracuse, N. Y and William Harrison Batson of Berea, W Va., 71 years old, met her today and were married. Mrs. Broderick came first from New York and secured the license and then met Mr. Batson, who arrived three hours later, at the depot. He came in on a train from the west. Mrs. Batson stated that several weeks ago she went to Berea and everything had been arranged for the wedding, even to preparing the feast and having the minister on hand, but a license was refused because she was not a resident.

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The warm weather months are the best in the whole year for the treatment of dyspepsia and stomach troubles. The out-of-door life, the fruit and berries which are so liberally eaten, all help to restore tone to the digestive system

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Take advantage of the summer, the best time in the whole year to regain good health and enjoy it.

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We have our new stock all bought and must have the room for our new goods. Will sell our last season's stock at 25 per cent. off.

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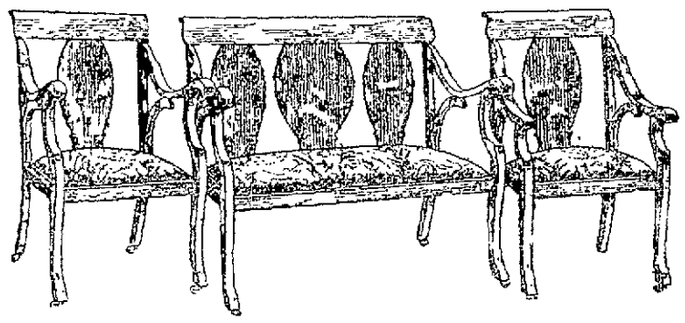

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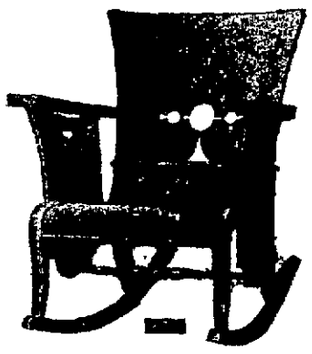

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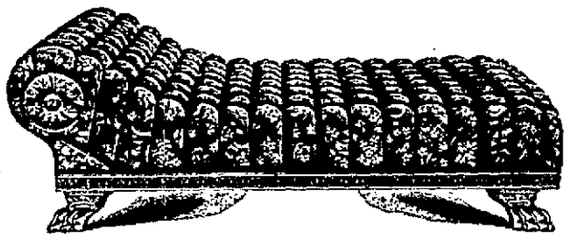

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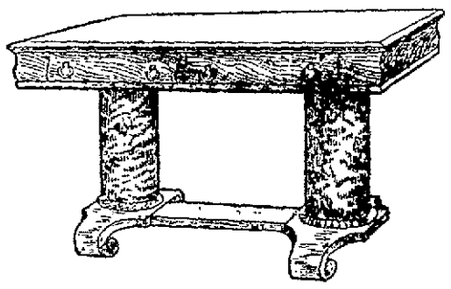

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TOUR TO YELLOWSTONE PARK

Via Pennsylvania R. R., Account Triennial Conclave, Knights Templar.

On account of the Triennial Conclave, Knights Templar to be held at San Francisco, Cal., September 5 to 9, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run a personally conducted tour, visiting the Yellowstone Park, the principal cities and beautiful resorts of the Pacific coast, Salt Lake City Colorado Springs, Denver, and the St Louis Exposition, in addition to affording five days in San Francisco Tickets, covering every necessary expense en route except hotel accommodations in San Francisco, will be sold at the low rate of $250 from all stations on the Pennsylvania railroad A special train of high-grade Pullman equipment will leave New York, Philadelphia, Harrisburg, Pittsburg and Philadelphia Wednesday, August 17. The full five and one-half days' tour of the Yellowstone Park will be made, three days will be spent at Los Angeles, two days at Colorado Springs, and two days at St. Louis, the party reaching New York Monday, September 19 Stops for sightseeing will be made at Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, San Jose, Monterey, Santa Barbara, Salt Lake City, Glenwood Springs, and Denver A descriptive itinerary will be sent on application to Geo W. Boyd, General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, Pa

REDUCED RATES TO BOSTON

Via Pennsylvania Railroad Account G. A. R. National Encampment.

On account of the National Encampment, G. A. R., at Boston, Mass., August 15 to 20, 1904, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Boston, Mass., from all stations on its lines from August 13 to 15, inclusive, at greatly reduced rates. These tickets will be good for return passage, to leave Boston not earlier than August 16, nor later than August 20, inclusive, when executed by Joint Agent at Boston.

Upon deposit of ticket with Joint Agent on or before August 20, and payment of fifty cents, an extension of return limit may be secured to leave Boston to September 30, inclusive.

$1.00 Sunday Excursion to Pittsburg.

On August 7 and 21 and September 4 and 18, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round trip tickets to Pittsburg and return from Uniontown, Scottdale and intermediate stations, at the exceedingly low rate of $1.00. These tickets will be good only on date of issue going and returning.

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These are the cool and handsome Mohair Shirts we are showing with the collar attached. They're just what every one will be wearing when you arrive there and you'll feel out of place unless you have one too. They are light cream in shade with large pearl buttons. Very dressy and by far the most comfortable Summer Shirt you can buy. Better take a few of these along.

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The Main Requisite of a Bathroom Next to The Tub, Is a

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We haven't the tub, but we have a very complete variety of worthy towels, either in bleached or unbleached, plain or colored borders, as you choose. The heavy, rough sort that is needed for a good rub down after a bath. A good towel is as necessary as water in the bath room. We show them at

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Blue, Pink, White, Black, Yellow, Red and Green.

There's two months yet remaining before you'll be rid of mosquitos and flies, and you can't invest your money and derive as much benefit from a standpoint of comfort, as in the purchase of something to free you from the annoyance of these pests. This is all perfect netting and considered the best made. Sold everywhere at eight cents.

The Final Reduction

—IN—

Ladies' Oxfords.

Every Ladies' Oxford in the house will be included in this final price cut. Every one of these Shoes are made from the best materials on really fine models, with the care for fit and finish that characterizes the competent craftsman. Every sole is sewed with Goodyear Welt Machines that **cannot** slight or shirk their work. **We haven't an Oxford in the place that originally sold for less than $2,** from this to $3.50, but we've grouped the remaining ones into two lots.

All of our $2.00 and $2.50 Oxfords at...... **$1.48** | All of our $3 and $3.50 Oxfords at.... **$1.69**

For the many who wear Oxfords the year round and for all economically inclined women, this sale offers wonderful inducements.

Pretty Ginghams for School Dresses

—Attractively Priced.—

It's time to commence thinking about the opening of school and the many things the little ones will need. There's nothing more satisfactory in the way of a school dress than a Gingham one for they wear better than most other cotton goods and the colors are fast. This is a particularly opportune time to fill your Gingham needs for Fall as this lot is well under priced. There is about 1,000 yards in the lot, in pink, blue, green and tan in checks and stripes. They are regular 12½c value. For the remainder of the week we will sell them at

9c per yard.

FROM NEARBY TOWNS.

SCOTTDALE.

Breezy Paragraphs Picked Up in the Mill Town.

Scottdale, Aug 10.—Miss Tillie Mildiron of North Scottdale, who had been visiting relatives and friends at Youngwood for several days, returned home Monday evening.

Miss Lulu Fretts was in Mt. Pleasant Sunday evening visiting friends.

Mrs Wesley Webb of Uniontown was here over Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fortney, and others.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kelley were visitors to Pittsburg on Monday.

The Pipe Mill ball team went down to Everson on Monday afternoon to tackle the team at that place, but found the Everson boys a little too much for them. Up till the seventh inning the pipe mill team were unable to score, while their opponents had brought 13 men over the home plate. The game was won by the Everson team, they having 13 scores, while the pipe mill boys only landed three scores. The Everson team have been playing good ball this season and have only lost about one game. It is now up to them to give the Frick boys a few lessons in the national game.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of Kenney & Co. on Tuesday evening, August 16, to vote on a proposition to change the name of the company from its present name to The Scottdale Foundry & Machine Company. The meeting will be held in the company's office.

There has been a large streamer placed over Pittsburg street near the Labor Day celebration at Uniontown Monday, September 5. A number of large bills have also been placed in same. Uniontown is preparing for a big time on Labor Day and a number of Scottdale people will take part in the parade.

The Sunday school of the Jacobs Creek M. E. Church will picnic at Sisson park, South Connellsville, on Saturday, August 13. The school will go down about 9 o'clock and the day will be spent in the park. All friends of the church and Sunday school are invited.

Read The Daily Courier.

The Sunday school of Mt. Nebo United Brethren Church will hold their annual picnic in L. F. Stoner's grove, near the Mt. Nebo Church on Saturday, August 13. A good time is promised those who attend.

Rev. J. P. Cowling, pastor of the United Brethren Church, will go to Monessen on Sunday next, where he will conduct a missionary rally in the church at that place. On account of his absence Rev. J. W. Moody of town will occupy his pulpit, both morning and evening.

On Monday Abriam Loucks, who lives on a farm about a mile west of Scottdale, met with a very serious accident which may cause his death. He is having a silo built on his farm and while walking around the bottom, a hatchet fell from a scantling, inflicting a large gash in the back of his head. Several doctors were at once called and every effort possible made to save his life. He was somewhat better on Tuesday morning, with fair hopes of recovery.

The bricks on the outside of the postoffice have been given a new supply of paint to correspond with the interior, which was lately repainted and refrescoed.

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MOUNTAIN MATTERS.

Brief Mention of the Happenings in Springfield Township.

Normalville, Aug. 9.—Talk about farming, but Abe D. Eicher takes the lead in Indian Creek valley. Of hay alone he has 125 tons and he generally averages $15 a ton, which will net him close to $2,000.

Simon Porterfield raised his barn the past week and the carpenters are pushing it speedily to a finish.

John C. O'Donnell had a number of fine sheep killed by dogs.

Rev. and Mrs. N. B. Tannehill of Sharpsburg spent a week with his sisters, Mrs Carrie Miller of Normalville, and Mrs. Rebecca Tinkey of Neal's Run. "Bruce" is another Normalville boy who has made his mark in the ministry, standing high in the M. E. Church. He preached Sunday evening in the M. E. Church to a large congregation. It was an excellent sermon, from St. Luke, 9-29.

The Rogers' Mills boys and Critchfield school district boys played a game of ball Saturday, resulting in a victory for the latter by the score of 16 to 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Dull of Connellsville spent Sunday with mountain relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Ritenour of Dunbar township spent Sunday with relatives here.

Frank Rishberger of Wooddale spent Saturday and Sunday in Normalville.

New planks are being laid on the White bridge this week. Not any too soon, however. Geo. W. Campbell has the contract.

Mrs. A. H. Brashear of Scottdale and Mrs. Wm. B. McCormick of Connellsville are spending a few days, the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Sherbondy.

James D. Connell of the Fayette Republican's reportorial staff is taking in the sights of the Firemen's Convention at Connellsville this week.

Mrs. Mary Rambler is paying a visit to her father, George Emery, at Blacklog Valley, Pa.

Mrs. Annie Grim, widow of the late Daniel Grim, died August 6, 1904, from old age and a complication of diseases, aged 87 years, one month and nine days. Mrs. Grim's death removes another pioneer settler of Springfield township. She and her husband were born and reared here. She was a member of the United Brethren Church. The funeral was held Monday, interment being in Mt. Zion graveyard. The following children survive her: Levi, Daniel H., Henry H., Mrs. Lena Shields, Mrs. Susan Oler, all of Springfield township, and Mrs. Sarah Hart of Cameron, W. Va.

Mr and Mrs. August Stickel entertained about 75 of their friends on the "Island," below the iron bridge, Saturday evening. Refreshments were served and a merry time was spent by all present. Speeches were made by Wh. A. McCune, Ross V. Marietta and Cyrus B. Sipe.

Misses Lena Sipe, Grace and Katharyne Campbell left Tuesday for St. Louis to spend two weeks at the Exposition and other sight seeing.

Clyde White is seriously ill with symptoms of appendicitis.

Doing Big Business.

For the week ending Saturday, August 6, there have been 3,413 pieces of mail passed through the New Haven postoffice, destined to other points, and also 815 registered postages passed through for other points during the past six months.

CHASED BY MOB.

Monongahela Man Who Attacked Woman Roughly Handled.

Monongahela, August 9.—A hundred armed men surrounded the house of Thomas Speer at Elbina station, eight miles below here, last night, and the timely arrival of Chief of Police Leo Logan and County Detective William McCleary, was all that saved Speer from being shot to death by the angry crowd. The riot followed an assault by Speer on Mrs. Mary Deplorly, a Slav, 25 years old, who was frightfully injured and will probably die. Shortly after 8 o'clock Speer, it is said, went to the Deplorly home. There was an altercation. Deplorly left the house, with the intention of obtaining a gun. In the husband's absence Speer is alleged to have struck Mrs. Deplorly with an ax, after first striking her and knocking her to the ground. Speer returned to his own home.

Word of the assault spread quickly. Dr. Speck of Shire Oaks was summoned to care for the injured woman, who received a gash in the head. Guns were obtained by friends of Deplorly, who surrounded Speer's house, threatening to shoot him on sight. At this juncture the officers from Monongahela, who had been notified of the riot, appeared. They entered the house, arrested Speer, and while the crowd waited in front, the prisoner was taken out by way of a rear door, placed in a carriage and driven off, before the mob knew that they had been given the slip. Speer will receive a hearing in the morning before Mayor Bentley on charges of assault with intent to murder and carrying concealed weapons, and will be taken to Washington to await trial.

ATTRACTS DETECTIVES.

Sleuths Hunting for Clue to Capture of Portage Murderers.

The reward offered for the apprehension of the desperadoes who held up Campbell, of the Puritan Coal Company, as he was driving from Portage to Puritan to pay off the men employed by his company, and killed his driver, is causing numerous private detectives to take up the hunt for the men. Chief of Police Whittac of Columbia, Pa., paid Portage a visit yesterday to make an investigation in the hope of discovering a clue that might get him the reward. He was unsuccessful, and on reaching Johnstown said that the hold up was committed by professionals and not Italians, and that they certainly laid their plans well to cover up their tracks.

Campbell is doing nicely at the hospital and is growing stronger daily. He talks but little of the affair that almost cost him his life and says that he would be unable to identify any of the men who figured in the dastardly deed.

SNAKE IN FEED BUCKET.

Pittsburg Man Has Lively Encounter With Rattler Near Cumberland.

Cumberland, Md., August 9.—Albert Kane, who has been living in Pittsburg, returned here today, driving over in a buggy. While feeding his horse near Wellsburg, Pa., today, a large rattlesnake crawled into the feed bucket. Mr. Kane tried to kill the reptile with a buggy whip, when the snake made a spring for him and fought desperately for half an hour before Mr. Kane managed to kill it.

Ohiopyle Excursion.

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad will run an excursion to Ohiopyle every Sunday during the summer until further notice. Train leaves here at 10.10 A. M.

POTTER'S BAR.

The Subject of Discussion in Presbyterian General Asembly.

The general assembly's permanent committee on temperance of the Presbyterian church is preparing to take steps to show where it stands in regard to the dedication of saloons by dignitaries of the Christian church, referring to the recent dedicatory address of Bishop Henry C. Potter in New York Tuesday at the formal opening of the Subway tavern. The Presbyterian comittee, which has its headquarters in Pittsburg, will take the stand that Bishop Potter has stood before the world as a high representative of Christianity and that he has placed the churches in a bad light before the civilized world.

William C. Lilley, president of the Presbyterian temperance committee, said yesterday that the committee would certainly take steps to inform the people at large that the Presbyterian church does not believe in any connection between the church and the saloon, and in Mr. Lilley's estimation Bishop Potter has represented the denomination before the world in a manner that is not creditable to the Christian churches. Mr. Lilley ... the regular meeting of the committee would not be held until next month but there were those who demanded that Rev. John F. Hill, D. D. the general secretary of the committee, should immediately place the church before the world in a way that would admit of no ... promise with the saloon in any manner or form.

ATTACKED BY FOOTPADS.

Pittsburger Finds Unconscious Form of Man on Street at Monessen.

Monessen, August 9.—Harry Hornbake of Charleroi was picked up on the street here at 2 o'clock yesterday morning by H. B. A. Aiken of Pittsburg. He was unconscious and was suffering from knife wounds on his neck and head. Mr. Aiken carried the wounded man to the Hotel May, where doctors were summoned and dressed his injuries, which were serious.

Hornbake started to walk from this place to Charleroi late in the evening. He was attacked by two negroes a short distance out of town, one of whom used a knife and the other a club. Hornbake managed to run away from his assailants and to get back to Monessen, but loss of blood caused him to faint and fall in the street. Mr. Aiken was on his way to the wharf to catch a steamboat for Pittsburg when he found Hornbake. Officers are searching for the negroes.

FIVE DAYS AT NIAGARA FALLS.

$5.75 Round Trip Via P. & L. E. R. R. Saturday, August 13.

On the above date all agents of the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad will sell tickets to Niagara Falls at the above rate, good five days. Two special trains, morning and evening, will be run, carrying Pullman sleepers, parlor cars and through day coaches and three regular trains are available. For time of departure and other particulars, see nearest agent, or write L. A. Robinson, General Passenger Agent, Pittsburg, Pa.

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And Return Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Sunday, August 14.

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Special train leaves Connellsville at 8 20 A. M.

K. of P. Encampment.

Tickets will be sold over the B. & O. railroad to the Knights of Pythias biennial encampment at Louisville, Ky., at very low rates for the round trip. Tickets on sale August 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, good returning leaving Louisville not later than August 31, 1904. Stop-overs allowed at specified points in each direction. Got details from ticket agents.

Pastor CHAS. T. RUSSELL

—AUTHOR OF—

"MILLENNIAL DAWN"

And Editor "Zion's Watch Tower,"

will address a convention for Bible Students and Believers in the Atonement, under the auspices of the WATCH TOWER BIBLE AND TRACT SOCIETY, of Allegheny, Pa.,

—IN—

GEYER OPERA HOUSE.

Scottdale, Pa.,

Sunday. Aug. 14.

Special address for the public at 3 p. m. Subject:

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If you are interested in the Bible do not fail to hear this address. Seats free. No collection. All are invited.

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John D. Rockefeller Fights Dyspepsia With Saw-Buck—How About You?

The great John D. Rockefeller fights dyspepsia and develops an appetite by spending an hour over a saw-buck sawing wood.

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WORKED A GREAT CURE.

My husband has been a great sufferer from dyspepsia in its worst form. He was greatly run down, and could eat very little without the most distressing nausea, and dreadful distress in the stomach. He tried everything he saw advertised without getting any relief. Through the advice of our druggist he decided to use Rexall Tablets, and to-day he is able to eat whatever his appetite craves. I cannot speak too highly of your remedy.—Mrs. P. J. Driscoll, 132 First Street, Leominster, Mass.

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STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION.

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

Before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for said county and State duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared John B. Cooley, who being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say:

That he is employed as pressman in the office of The Daily Courier, a newspaper published in the Borough of Connellsville, Pennsylvania;

That the number of copies of said newspaper printed and circulated during the week ending August 6, 1904, was as follows:

August 1	2,925
August 2	2,950
August 3	2,950
August 4	3,050
August 5	3,050
August 6	3,100

And further sayeth not.
JOHN B. COOLEY.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of August, 1904.
JOHN KURTZ.
Notary Public.

THE SULTAN'S NOTICE.

The Sultan has been told that the patience of our government has reached the limit of diplomatic endurance.

This will be charged up against President Roosevelt as another hasty and ill-advised action, quite contrary to custom. For time out of mind, the Turk has been temporizing and temporized with. The proposition to deal seriously with him is disturbing to diplomacy, startling to the very conservative Democracy, and a decided surprise to the Turk himself.

The Roosevelt idea of taking friends by the hand and foes by the throat before the former become cold and the latter hot is condemned by the purblind philosophy-at-any-price people, but thank heaven the American nation is not built that way.

The spirit of '76 was action. The men who carved out this great empire were not timid, temporizing, supine; they were bold, decisive, energetic, and their spirit is reflected in Theodore Roosevelt.

The people of this country want a man for President.

BRYAN'S TENACITY.

The people who thought they had Colonel William Jennings Bryan out of business have a lot more serious thinking to do.

His announcement that he will be in the political game four years from now was only half the truth. He will be in it every minute in the meantime and if his voice is not heard and felt in the councils of the nation it won't be his fault.

He has already made a deal with his old friends the Populists, for the United States Senatorship from Nebraska in the rather remote contingency that the Democrats and Populists control the Legislature. They are not likely to do it, but the fact that the attempt will be made by Bryan speaks volumes for his tenacity of purpose.

The Democratic donkey has not yet shaken off the Old Man of the Sea. Though riding behind in this campaign, he still sticks on.

Colonel Jim Guffey won't be at Esopus to-day. He is not one of the fellows who tells after it happens and everybody else knows, and he doesn't tell it before it happens because then it likely wouldn't happen.

The grave is hardly the proper place for an autopsy, but perhaps it is better to hold it there in cases of suspicion than not at all. The Latrobe case is one in point. Without the autopsy a foul and cruel suspicion would have been fastened upon innocent people never to be shaken off.

The village of Burnsville, in Greene county, has an epidemic of diphtheria. Has Burnsville a Board of Health?

The Pittsburg Times puts it fairly when it says: "Whatever the temperance people may say against the ideas of Bishop Potter on the saloon question, they will not deny that the average booze joint would stand elevation in moral tone to a limited extent without harm to the community."

Connellsville has on her glad rags this week.

Statistics show that when it comes to drinking beer we beat the Dutch. We are becoming a greater world power than ever, under the wise rule of the Republican party.

If the Hon. Able Bodied Parker and the Hon. Hennery Gasbag Davis ever had any hopes of being elected, they will, we are sure, being gallant men, dismiss them. The ladies have declared for Roosevelt and Fairbanks. The Woman's National Republican Association will enter actively into the campaign in the women's suffrage States of Colorado, Idaho, Wyoming and Utah.

"Death lurks in the storm," and the storm seems to be staying with us more or less persistently all summer.

The Russian definition of goods contraband of war is comprehensive enough to cover everything other nations trade in, and is very naturally dissented from by Secretary Hay, whose per contra opinion will find favor with neutral powers.

Sammy Newcomer isn't going to give up if he can help it.

The Filipinos want to see the Great White Father at Washington. It would be a good investment on the part of the War Department to show the "visiting statesmen" of our Oriental truck patch all over the blooming country so that they can go back home and tell their people just who Uncle Sam is.

There are some good people who are worrying mightily because they think Bishop Potter has put the Christian churches of the world in a bad light by his remarks at the opening of the subway saloon. This worry is altogether needless. Bishop Potter speaks for himself alone, and didn't pretend to speak for anybody else.

Sphinx Parker will break the solemn silence to-day. The silence was insured, but one cannot tell what the break will be.

The World's Fair flyers sometimes fly the track.

CHEAP TIP.

Cheer up, says an exchange. The world is taking your photograph. Look pleasant. Of course you have your troubles, troubles you cannot tell the policeman. A whole lot of things bother you, of course. Business worries or domestic sorrows, it may be, or what not. You find life a rugged road whose stones hurt your feet. Nevertheless cheer up.

It may be our real disease is selfishness—ingrown selfishness. Your life is too self centered. You imagine your tribulations are worse than others bear. You feel sorry for yourself—the meanest sort of pity. It is pathetic illusion. Rid yourself of that and cheer up.

What right have you to carry a picture of your woebegone face and funeral ways about among your fellows who have troubles of their own? If you must whine or sulk or scowl take a car and go to the woods or to the unfrequented lanes.

Cheer up. Your ills are largely imaginary. If you were really on the brink of bankruptcy or if there were no thoroughfare through your sorrows, you would clear your brows, set your teeth and make the best of it.

Cheer up. You are making a hypothetical case out of your troubles and suffering from a self inflicted verdict. You are borrowing trouble and paying a high rate of interest.

Cheer up. Why, man alive, in a ten minute walk you may see a score of people worse off than you. And here you are digging your own grave and playing pallbearer into the bargain. Man alive, you must do your work. Smile, even though it be through your tears, which speedily dry. And cheer up.

DOWN ON BROWN.

Controller John H. Brown is slated to run on the Democratic ticket for re-elect on in Westmoreland county, says the News. He was recently licked for a renomination by Republican John D. Hiteman. Brown is [illegible] to flop now since he can't handle his own party at will. The Democrats of Westmoreland county will do well to let John Brown alone, and if they must endorse a Republican let it be the other John.

Ohiopyle Excursion

Excursion to Ohiopyle every Sunday during the summer season. Train leaves Connellsville at 10.10 A. M.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

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A SONG OF SUMMER.

Sing a song of summer;
  Robins in the trees,
Smiling sky and grass knee high
  Waving in the breeze
Has of drawbacks too, 'ts share—
Hot enough to roast a bear.

Lolling on the greensward,
  Watching shadows fly;
In the shade with lemonade
  And a girl close by—
Not so nice to rise at dawn
And proceed to shave the lawn.

Swinging in a hammock
  With a palm leaf fan
Or afloat and in your boat,
  Getting lovely tan—
Oh the season is just grand
If you're not a harvest hand.

Sing a song of summer,
  Apple, cherry, peach,
All aglow and hanging low
  Where a man can reach
But they're green or hard or dry
In the store where I must buy.

Practical Relief.

"Ah me," sighed Clare De Froth as she listlessly gazed out of her eyes at the passing throng below her window. Clare always gazed out of her eyes. She might have gazed out of her ears occasionally for a change, but, poor girl, she didn't know how.

"This is a cold and cruel world," she murmured, biting off half a cent's worth of gum and tucking the rest of the stick away in her capacious pocket. "We strive after light, and the gas trust says 'Nit,' or words to that effect. How I long to fly from the sordid crowd and commune only with noble minds, to drink their words as a thirsty cow drinks slough water and to exchange confidences, giving jackknives to boot where one confidence is worth more than another."

"Ah me," she said again, not being able to think of anything new to say. "I am sick of it all. I shall go and feed my fair young face a small portion of corn beef and cabbage and forget, if possible, the dreary, dreary world." and she hiked off at the call of the dinner bell.

One Thing Lacking

He thought [illegible] education [illegible]
But found he had another think—
That some few things he did not know—
For when he came to buy a drink
Where prohibition laws [illegible]
It seems he [illegible] know the [illegible]

Quite Provoking

"[illegible] a very [illegible] tempered man."
"Oh very."
"Of course when he was run over by a train he naturally felt cut up."

Should Be Posted

"What is the last word in the dictionary?"
"I don't know. I will ask my wife. A woman always has the last word."

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

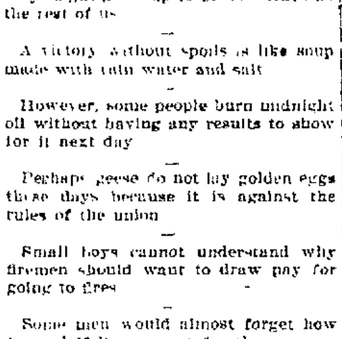
It is often the case when the girl who thinks she is musical deserves it that the piano gets the punishment.

A man is not guilty until he is proved so and a woman until she admits it.

When a man eats a lobster the lobster always gets revenge.

When a man gets ahead of a woman she generally lets him, so she can do things behind his back.

If the way to reach a man's heart is through his stomach, the way to reach his so called intellect is through his pocketbook.



The difference between a tramp and a bathtub is as many miles as the tramp can make it.

While there may be such a thing as Platonic love, the average healthy person would not think it worth while.

Love is not blind, it can see things in a man or woman that no one else can see.

When a man buys a girl a costly diamond ring he is sure to think that she is a little dear.

Perhaps if the good [illegible] not die young they might grow up to be as wicked as the rest of us.

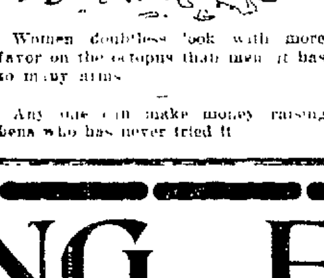
A victory without spoils is like soup made with rain water and salt.

However, some people burn midnight oil without having any results to show for it next day.

Perhaps geese do not lay golden eggs these days because it is against the rules of the union.

Small boys cannot understand why firemen should want to draw pay for going to fires.

Some men would almost forget how to read if it were not for the sporting page.



Women doubtless look with more favor on the octopus than men, it has so many arms.

Any one can make money raising hens who has never tried it.

All Kinds of Dry Goods. | 106 | Prices Always the Lowest.

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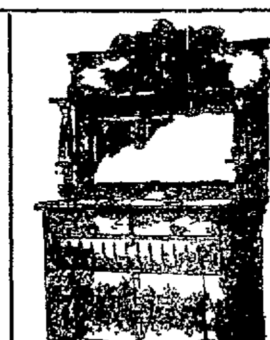

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Extension Tables, 6, 8 and 10 Feet,
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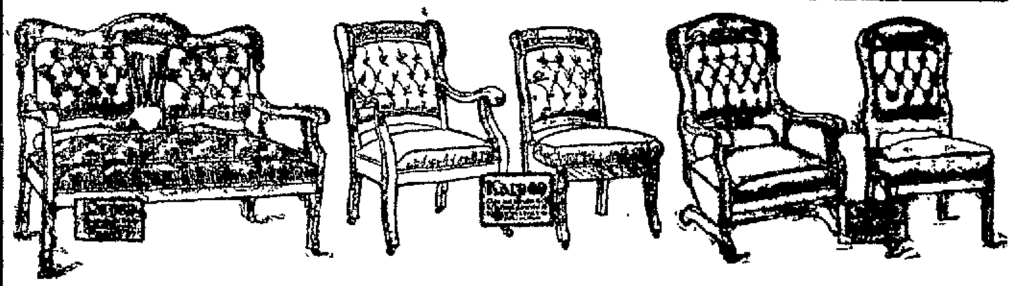

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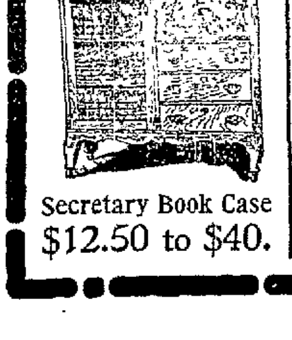

Secretary Book Case
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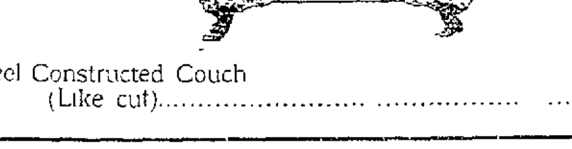

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Solid Oak. (Like cut)
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SCHOOL BOARD MEETS

At Dunbar and Arranges for Remodeling of Old Furnace School.

A SONS' OF VETERAN CAMP.

Meeting in K. of P. Hall at Dunbar Tonight to Muster in Organization. Personal Mention of Furnace Town.

Dunbar, Aug. 10.—A special meeting of Dunbar township School Board was held Monday night. The object of the meeting was to discuss the repair work and addition being being made to the brick school house at the furnace. Two new rooms are being added to the building, making it a two-story structure. It was the intention of the board at first to only have the partitions made of frame work, but at the meeting Monday evening it was thought that the frame work would not be strong enough and would be unsafe. It was therefore decided to make the partitions of brick. There was a full attendance of the board present at the meeting.

John Higgins, one of our old and respected citizens, has gone to Urichville, O., where he will visit his son John and family. Mr. Higgins has not seen his son for more than 12 years.

There will be a meeting in the K. of P. Hall tonight for the purpose of mustering in a camp of the Sons of Veterans. This is the fifth attempt to effect a camp.

Dr. James Scott, who has been in Gans for several days doing some dental work, returned home last night accompanied by his sister, Miss Delilan Scott.

Master Eddie McQuiggans of Hazewood is the guest of relatives at this place.

S. G. Meanor of Pittsburg was transacting business in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. W. Y. Seamon of Connellsville street left yesterday for McKeesport, where she will be the guest of relatives for a few days. On Friday she will go to Pittsburg to the home of her mother, Mrs. Grove, where a family reunion will be held on that date.

The well which Harry McGibbons had drilled about two weeks ago to the depth of 67 feet has gone dry. He will now have the well drilled deeper going 100 feet. The men drilling at Jacob Swearingen's have struck a good flow of water at 62 feet, but it remains to be seen if it will continue to have plenty of water in it.

Master Robert Grier of Allegheny is the guest of relatives at this place for a few days.

Miss Lyda E. Jeffries of Uniontown is the guest of Mrs. Jacob Breakiron of the Furnace Hill.

Charles Liston, who has been at home for several weeks after having recovered from a severe attack of typhoid fever, returned to his work in Pittsburg.

Misses Martha and Sarah Williams left Tuesday for the Markleton Sanatorium. Miss Martha has been a teacher in Dunbar township for several terms and she was re-elected to teach at the Furnace school the coming term. She has not been enjoying very good health for some time and she goes to Markleton in the hope of benefiting her health.

William O'Shea, the traveling salesman from Pittsburg, who on his last trip here lost a purse containing over $35, was in town again Monday, but he was not unfortunate this time. He has never heard anything of the purse being found.

Miss Anna Harper, who was granted a two weeks' vacation, was called back to work again yesterday. Miss Harper is employed by the Wright-Metzler Company of Connellsville.

The remains of Mrs. Humbert, mother of J. J. Humbert of Dunbar township, arrived here yesterday over the Pennsylvania railroad from Washington, Pa., at which place she died Sunday. The remains were met by Undertaker Burhans and taken to the home of her son. The funeral services were conducted today. Interment was made in the Laurel Hill Cemetery. Mrs. Humbert was in her eighties and had been ailing for some time. When her son was to see her a few weeks ago she was then greatly improved, but she soon suffered a relapse and steadily grew weaker.

G. W. Jones, traveling salesman for T. C. Jenkins, was in town Tuesday morning.

A three-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lowery died at their mountain home Sunday. The funeral services were conducted at the home yesterday afternoon by Rev. D. E. Minerd. Interment was made in the Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

Read The Daily Courier.

Frank McFarland, bookkeeper for the Dunbar Fire Brick Company, is enjoying his annual vacation, which he is spending at Friendsville, Md. Friendsville is becoming quite a popular place with many of our citizens.

FINE VAUDEVILLE.

World's Fair Company Pleased the Patrons of the Colonial.

The World's Fair Vaudeville Company pleased a fair-sized audience at the Colonial Theatre last night. The show is first class in every particular. The Steel City Quartette, Dal Jeffries, the world's champion bag puncher, Solly and Loui Stroupe, Master Glenn Lewis, Arthur P. Dunlevy, and in fact the entire cast pleased the audience immensely.

Thursday night will be the star night of the week. The Pride of Connellsville, a boxer of considerable merit, will give a four-round exhibition with Solly Stroupe. A hose coupling contest, with a run of 20 feet on the stage, to which all firemen are eligible, is another attractive feature. There is already considerable rivalry talk among the firemen who will enter this contest. The bill tonight will be entirely new. The show is very refined in character and is especially interesting to ladies and children.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From All Parts of the Town.

If you are going to put down a cement pavement see Bettler & Gray Tri-State phone.

Harry L. Maloy of Connellsville and Katherine Donahue of New Haven have taken out a license to wed.

Miss Catherine Westenberger of Uniontown is the guest of friends in Connellsville.

Misses Ethel and Edith Painter of Dawson were the guests of friends in Connellsville, Monday.

Howard Minerd, proprietor of the Dunbar House, was calling on friends in Connellsville, Tuesday.

Persons desiring to take private lessons in Latin or Italian, apply at No. 118 South Pittsburg street. Frank Fulvo, graduate of Naples, Italy.

Miss Ollie Richey of Dunbar was calling on friends in Connellsville, Tuesday.

Miss Maloy of Pittsburg is the guest of Miss Clara Reynolds of Arch street.

Miss Martha Keller of Dunbar is the guest of Miss Emma Kate Dull of Fairview avenue.

Mrs. Sarah Murray and little granddaughter, Sarah Rist, of Uniotown, were the guests of friends in Connellsville today.

It never comes off. The plaster put on by Bettler & Gray.

Miss Ryland of Cumberland is the guest of the Misses Harrigan of Murphy avenue.

Miss Celia Keitz and Miss Emma Boslett of Latrobe are the guests of Mr and Mrs H J. Boslett of Prospect street.

Miss Finnegan of Pittsburg is the guest of Mrs. John Dixon of Water street.

It sticks forever. What? The plaster put on by Bettler & Gray.

Misses Daisy and Jane Trump of Green street went to Confluence this afternoon on B & O. train No 46, where they will be the guests of friends for several days.

Mrs. John Porter of Youngwood is the guest of relatives in New Haven.

Mr and Mrs R. J. McGee of Dunbar were the guests of friends in Connellsville, Tuesday.

VANDERBILT.

Personal Chat From Dunbar Township's Big Village.

Vanderbilt August 9.—C. G. Means of Pittsburg, representing La'shan & Feerst, was here Tuesday afternoon on a mission of business.

Read The Daily Courier for the best, brightest and most newsy paper published in the Connellsville coke region.

Jacob Harshman went to Smock, Tuesday afternoon, and transacted some matters of a legal nature.

C. F. Gween of Uniontown was a business caller in Vanderbilt Tuesday morning. Mr Gween is traveling salesma for W. H. Williams, a produce man of Pittsburg.

Miss Elsie Edwards, one of the popular young ladies of this place, is sojourning with friends and relatives in Uniontown.

Mrs Koons of this place desires to express her thanks to those who helped her in many ways during her daughter's illness and death. We are in which was written about her deah?d deed sorry that the whole article written about her death did not appear in the columns of this paper. But owing to the fact that the paper was crowded with other news and my items were delayed in reaching the office of The Courier, they were unable to publish the article in full.

Mrs Hugh Miller spent a few hours in Connellsville last Monday on a shopping expedition.

Mrs. Jacob Stoner, whose home is at Dickerson Run, spent Sunday in New Haven, the guest of friends.

Miss Pearl DeYoe, who has been visiting friends and relatives in East Liberty for the past few days, returned to her home in New Haven the first of the week.

The Firemen's Convention which is being held in Connellsville this week is drawing good crowds from this place.

Charged With Larceny.

Squire Charles W. Bowman of Brownsville returned an information to the prothonotary's office Tuesday wherein Clement J. Watson is charged with larceny and receiving stolen goods. The prosecutor is J. L. Griffith. The latter alleges that Watson has on numerous occasions stolen copper wire and other materials from the plant of the People's Coal Company near Brownsville. The estimated value of the stolen goods is placed at $25. The defendant gave bail in the sum of $300 pending the action of the September grand jury.

Philip Johnson.

JOHNSON—Philip Johnson, colored, aged 23 years, died this morning at the home of his sister, Miss Mattie Johnson, on Fourth street, New Haven. His death was caused by typhoid fever. The funeral services will be conducted Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Mt. Zion Baptist Church of New Haven. Rev. Epps will have charge of the services.

Phil Moore Won Auto Race.

Phil C. Moore of Vanderbilt won the automobile race from Uniontown to the Summit on the National Pike Tuesday. He made the run in 31 minutes. F. T. Evans of Connellsville was third.

Police Chief Assassinated.

Berlin, Aug. 10.—[Special.]—It is reported that the chief of police of Nakhchivan in Eastern Russia and also head forester has been assassinated by Anarchists.

Bought News Stand.

J. M. Ecoff of Beaver Falls closed a deal August 1 with C. S. Barr and H. W. Culp for the news stand on Main street, New Haven. Mr. Ecoff took charge Tuesday morning.

Potatoes for Sale.

No. 1 stock at 60 cents per bushel. On P. R. R. siding. Car No. 30,653. Come at once. S. Shepowich.

Promises Favorable Answer.

Constantinople, Aug 10.—[Special.] The Port promises Minister Leishman a favorable answer immediately.

CONFLUENCE.

Interesting Items From Somerset County's Hustling Town.

Confluence, August 9.—B. F. Brown, engineer on the White's Creek railroad, is on the sick list with a sprained back.

There is a report current that there was a wreck on the White's Creek railroad a half mile above Dumas. Five cars were derailed, but no one was hurt. The high grades and the sharp turns make it difficult running.

J. C. Newcomer, ex-burgess of New Haven, left today to join his old neighbors and friends at the firemen's convention in Connellsville.

The Boys' Brigade of the Connellsville Y. M. C. A. reached town this morning, 11 in number. They will camp in Ringer's Grove on the Yough. By evening they had their tents up and are enjoying camp life in fine style.

The Boys' Brigade base ball team will play the Confluence nine on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30.

Rev. H. S. McIntosh, from the vicinity of Harnedsville, was in town today calling on friends here. He is the principal of the Addison school, a position that he had held for some years.

Clark Flannigan was in town again today. His house is full of boarders.

Dr. Wolford arrived home today from the camp at Friendsville and reports a good time generally going on.

"Banty" Frantz, one of the best ball players in Confluence, while playing in the game with Friendsville, Saturday, was struck on the arm with a pitched ball, and is carrying the injured member in a sling.

Elisha Hall of Sugar Loaf was in town today. Mr. Hall has a very sore arm and hand and has to carry it in a sling.

A. H. Dougherty, engineer on the B. & O. who lives in Pittsburg, arrived this morning. He will remain with his family for several weeks.

David Boyd and J. R. Shewls of near Farmington were in town today doing some shopping.

Fred Yeagley is having his stable torn down. Ed. Jeffries is hauling it to Frank Kreger's who is going to have it rebuilt.

Harry Watson and Harry Horton the tie and lumber men were seen on the street today. They are kept so busy with their work that they do not get much rest.

Read The Daily Courier.

The tannery men who have been working steadily for some years were laid off for a couple of days, and not being used to so much vacation they find it hard to occupy their time. The tannery will start up tomorrow, however.

LOW RATES TO SAN FRANCISCO

Via P. R. R. on Account Meeting of Knights Templar and I. O. O. F.

On account of the Triennial Conclave Knights Templar, and Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to San Francisco, Cal., August 15 to September 9, good to return until October 23, at reduced rate. For particulars regarding specific rates, routes, and stop-over privileges consult ticket agents.

LOW RATES TO PORTLAND, ORE.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account American Mining Congress.

On account of the American Mining Congress, to be held at Portland, Ore., August 22 to 27, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round trip tickets to Portland from all stations on its lines, from August 14 to 17, good returning within 60 days, including date of sale, at reduced rates. For specific information apply to ticket agents.

Special Maccabee Train.

Special Maccabee train to World's Fair at St. Louis via P. & L. E. railroad Sunday, August 21. For particulars see S. R. Mason, music dealer, Connellsville.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.—COAL STOVES FOR sale cheap; one double heating stove, one Peninsular steel range. E. W. BOWKER, East Mortan ave., South Side. 4-6t

For Rent.

FOR RENT.—I HAVE THREE SIX room flats, all modern improvements, bath, electric light and gas. Each flat has its own cellar. Near centre of town. Call on H. A. CROW, First National Bank. 1Aug tf

Sealed Proposals.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE erection of a frame church, to be built in Star Junction, Pa. Plans and specifications can be had at residence of Rev. E. E. Gellhoff, New Haven, Pa., or of John McCarty, Star Junction, Pa. The right to accept or reject all bids is reserved. Sealed proposals will be opened in the presence of the Church Committee on the church grounds in Star Junction, August 18, at 4 o'clock P. M. REV. E. E. GELLHOFF, New Haven, Pa. 5aug4t

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DUNN'S CASH STORES

129, 131, 133 N. PITTSBURG STREET, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Western Pennsylvania. — Showers and probably thunder storms Wednesday; Thursday fair; increasing south-east, shifting to northwest winds.

—A— DETERMINED EFFORT

to empty our shelves before the new Fall goods come in. Some of the important items do not get in the papers—lots large enough for any one or more person's use but not enough for public announcement. Prices on these very much sacrificed. In most cases you will find these on tables in the Cloak Room; if not there in the department to which they belong, plainly marked and ticketed. Commencing Monday morning we start the sale on the following:

Velvet Brussels Carpet

Four patterns, enough for any room, not remnants; regular price $1.25, sale price 95c the yard.

Lace Curtains

One, two and three pairs of a kind. Want to get rid of these and get rid of them quickly and have made prices that will help us do this.

Chenille Curtains

Sold for $5 and $6 the pair. Not more than 2 pairs of a pattern. Surely worth the sale price and more too. Think you will admit this when we tell you that they go for $2 the pair.

Wide Ribbons

All colors, but not too many of a kind. These sold for 25c the yard, and at 15c a yard there is not much chance of their lasting long after the store is open Monday.

Electra and Smyrna Rugs

Some odd patterns, 36 inches by 72 inches. Good blues and greens and reds among these. Regular price was $4.50, sale price will be $3 each.

Light Color Shirt Waist Suits

Percale and dimity and lawn. Sold for $1.75 each and just about enough for two hours selling Monday morning at $1 each.

Huck Towels

Red, white and blue borders, regular 30c quality, 21 inches wide and 42 inches long; 15 dozen pairs to sell at 40c the pair.

Table Linen

Bleached and unbleached 64 and 68 inches wide. Regular price was 50c and 65c a yard. Sale price will be 40c the yard.

Linen Scarfs

Size 18 inches by 54 inches, Silver bleached lining, and all linen too. Regular price 50c; sale price 40c.

Linen Stand Covers

36 inches square, same quality and kind as the scarfs. Sold for $1. Sale price will be 65c each.

Told you in the beginning that if prices would do it we were going to empty our shelves during these August Sales. This first week of August surprised us in the number of people that attended the sale and the amount of goods sold. One statement we want to repeat and that is that the quantities are limited to the stock on hand and in most cases this quantity is small. That is the reason and the main reason for these small prices. It's a hint to you not to delay too long in the coming. You know that some of you who had Carpet thoughts last week put off your coming a little too long.

DUNN'S CASH STORES

The Bargain Center

The New York Racket Store

Every Day a Bargain Day.

Decorating Goods.

Red, White and Blue Bunting, per yard........ 4½c

Stars and Stripes Bunting per yard, at........ 4½c

Flags, all sizes, from 2c to 25c each.

The R. & G. Corset.

The only Perfect Fitting Corset Made.

All stylish dressers wear the R. & G. Corsets. From 49c, 73c to........ 99c

A Few of the Things You Are Constantly in Need Of:

Lace Curtains.

2½ yards long, beautiful patterns usual price anywhere, 50c, our price........ .35

3 yards long, big variety, everybody wants 65c a pair for them, at........ .49

3 yards long, 50 inches wide, Nottingham's fine line to select from, quoted usually for $1 we have them for........ .75

3½ yards long, 54 inches wide, same make as above, $1.50 kind, our price........ .99

3½ yards long, 60 inches wide, can't buy them anywhere for less than $2.00, we have a line for........ $1.48

3½ yards long, special the kind that sell regularly for $4.00, at........ $2.98

WINDOW BLINDS.

The Felts, a 15c line at........ 8c

Oil Blinds, regular 50c grade for........ 25c

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

A big line of Men's dress shoes from 99c to $3.50

The American Gentleman ideal kid........ $3.50

Work shoes from 99c to........ $1.99

Men's patent leather shoes........ $1.75

The Elite, the best shoe made, bluchers $3.50

Ladies' dress shoes, 99c, $1.25, $1.49, $1.99, and up to........ $2.99

The American Lady, best kid shoe made........ $2.99

Ladies' Kid Oxfords, popular styles, from 75c up to........ $1.25

Ladies' patent Oxfords, with French and Military heels, $1.25 to........ $1.99

Misses' Shoes in kid and patents, at from 99c to........ $1.49

Infants' shoes, sixes 2's to 5's........ .50

Children's shoes, a big line, sizes 5 to 8 for........ .50

Ladies' Sandals, 98c to........ $1.49

Misses' Sandals, 75c to........ .98

Children's Sandals, 5 to 8's for........ .50

Infant's Sandals, 2 to 5, for........ .50

Infants's patents, 2 to 5's velvet tops........ .50

UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY.

Ladies' fine cotton ribbed vests........ .10

Misses' and children's vests at........ .5

Men's Balbriggan Underwear, 50c values, per garment, at........ .39

Ladies' Fancy Hosiery, per pair........ .7

Children's Hosiery 10c, 3 pairs for........ .25

Men's Work Hosiery at only........ .5

Men's Dress Hosiery, 10c, 3 pairs for........ .25

LADIES' & MISSES' SKIRTS.

We want to call special attention to our large line of skirts for the ladies' and misses.

A well made cheviot skirt for........ .99

Blacks and light colors in mixed goods........ $1.98

Another lot checked suitings for........ $2.75

Voiles, Cashmeres, Scotch Mixtures and Broadcloths at........ $4.98

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS.

We have a big line of Men's Working Shirts; made of genuine Alabama Shirting........ .48

OVERALLS.

Men's Overalls for 49c.
Men's Jumpers 49c.
Brownie Overalls 25c.
Men's Jean Pants 49c.
Ladies' Wrappers 75c to 90c.

DRY GOODS.

Good Toweling 5c, 8c and 10c.
Lancaster Ginghams 6c.
Anderson L. L. Muslin 6c.
Bed Ticking 5c, 8c and 10c.
Fancy Table Oil Cloth 15c.
2½ yard Sheeting, per yard 25c.
Mosquito Bar 7c.
Red Table Clothing 19c to 43c.
White Linen Tableclots 25c to 49c.
Sun Bonnets, each, 10c.

GRANITEWARE.

2-qt Stew Pans, 25c; Oat Meal Kettles, 19c; 2 qt Tea and Coffee Pots, 29c; 6 qt Kettles, 49c; Wash Basins, 15c; 4 qt Sauce Pans, 15c; 2-qt Pudding Pans, 10c; Oblong Dish Pans, 59c; 17-qt Dish Pans, 59c; 10-qt Water Pails, 45c; 4 qt Dinner Buckets, 59c; Water Cups, 8c; 4 qt Milk Cans, 25c; 2-qt Pails, 17c.

TINWARE.

12 qt Dish Pans, 23c; 1-qt Coffee Pots, 10c; Flour Sifters, 10c; Large Size Wash Basins, 8c; 12-qt Water Pails, 10c; Milk Strainers, 10c; Cullonders, 10c; Pie Tins, 3 and 4c; Bread Pans, 5c; 4-qt Stew Kettles, 15c; 1-qt Pails, 5c; Pint Tin Cups, 1c, 2-qt Pudding Pans, 5c; Never-Break Frying Pans, 10c.

Everyday Wants.

Good black ink, per bottle, 3c.
25 envelopes 5c.
No. 1 & 2 brass lamp burners 5c.
Iron handles, each 5c.
Porcelain wash bowls and pitchers 75c.
No. 4 brooms, each 23c.
10 quart tin water pails, 10c.
3 tin cups 5c.
White metal teaspoons, set 10c.
25 yards picture wire 4c.
Screw eyes, per dozen, 3c.
Good floor oil cloth, 25c to 50c a yard.
6 bars Ivory Soap 25c.
Fancy table oil cloth, per yard 15c.
6 sheets writing paper 1c.
Stereoscope views 3c each.

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IS THAT WORTH LOOKING AFTER?

Quart Beer Bottles, per doz. 75c	3 lb Currants........ 25c
3 Cans Fancy Tomatoes........ 25c	2 lb Good Rio Coffee........ 25c
3 Cans Early June Peas........ 25c	3 lb Fancy Head Rice........ 25c
4 Cans Pumpkin........ 25c	2 Packages Grain-O........ 25c
2 Cans Bartlet Pears........ 25c	5 lb Crock Pure Preserves........ 30c
4 lb Dried Apples........ 25c	5 Cakes Fell's Naptha Soap........ 20c
3 lb Evaporated Apples........ 25c	10 Packages Toilet Paper........ 25c
3 lb Seedless Raisins........ 25c	3 Quats Best Navy Beans........ 25c
7 Double Sheets Fly Paper........ 10c	Clothes Pins per doz........ 01c

White Satin Flour (the best) per sack........ $1.45

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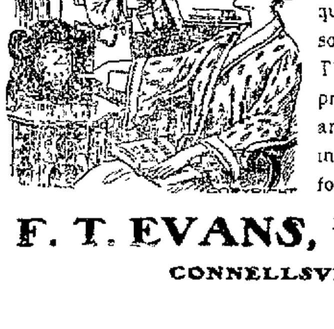

The Question of the Hour

is how to keep cool and comfortable in warm weather while performing household duties that require fire. The question has been solved by the use of gas as a fuel. The housewife knows how to appreciate it on washing, ironing and baking days, and when doing her canning and preserving for Winter.

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VIEWS MADE KNOWN.

Democratic Candidate for President Will Break Silence Today.

IS READY FOR NOTIFICATION

Congressman Champ Clark and Committee Will Go to Esopus by Boat and Perform Duties Imposed by St. Louis Convention.

Esopus, N. Y., Aug. 10.—Preparations are practically complete at Rosemount for the formal notification of Judge Parker of his nomination as Democratic candidate for the presidency. The steamer Sagamore will bring the notification committee from New York city. The boat is expected to arrive between 1:30 and 2 p. m. and in case of inclement weather the notification ceremony will take place upon the boat.

It is expected that 1,500 persons will be present. With the notification committee will come a large number of Democrats, among them former Senator David B. Hill, Senator Bailey of Texas, and members of the Democratic national committee.

The opening speech will be that of Chairman Champ Clark of Missouri, who will notify Judge Parker of his nomination and will present him a certified copy of the platform by the St. Louis convention and of the message decided upon by the convention in reply to the judge's telegram on the gold standard. Judge Parker will follow Mr. Clark, formally accepting the nomination. The other speeches are arranged for. The ceremony will be followed by an informal reception, after which the visitors will depart.

Colonel Daniel S. Lamont, former secretary of war, whose name is prominently mentioned in connection with the Democratic nomination for governor of New York, and United States Judge George J. Gray of Deleware were visitors at Rosemount

Mr. Lamont said he was not a candidate for the nomination for governor. Moreover, he declared that he believed an emergency that would make it his duty to accept such a nomination was very remote.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 10.—The Democratic state convention meets today. The Populist convention will meet at the same time The question of fusion is undecided. T. H. Tibbles, candidate for vice president on the Populist ticket, has named terms that the Parker Democrats cannot accept and many Populists threaten to bolt if they are not accepted.

New York, Aug. 10.—The notification committee met and approved a draft of the formal notification, which is signed by Champ Clark, the chairman, and other members. It is stated that not only will Charles F. Murphy go to Esopus, but that nearly every Tammany district leader will be there.

Washington, Aug. 10—Heads of government departments have let it be known that their officials are not to take an active part in local or state politics where their activity might prove compromising in any way to the administration.

Elkins, W. Va., Aug. 10.—Former Senator Henry G. Davis, vice presidential candidate on the Democratic ticket, announced that he had concluded to arrange for his notification by the committee of notification at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., at 1 p. m. on the 17th inst. Arrangements are being made for special trains to convey the committee and the senator's party from Elkins and Charleston, W. Va., and Cumberland, Md.

VISITED THE PRESIDENT.

Party of Moro and Igorrote Chiefs Received at White House.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Picturesquely but adequately garbed, a party of Moro and Igorrote chiefs, constituting a part of the Philippine exhibit at the St. Louis exposition, paid their respects to President Roosevelt at the White House. Through Antero, a bright 15-year-old Igorrote boy, who acted as interpreter, the Moro dattos and the Igorrote chiefs expressed their pleasure at being received by the president and told him he might depend upon their loyalty to the American government.

President Roosevelt, after shaking hands with each one of his little brown visitors replied that he was glad of the opportunity to welcome them to the national capital and to assure them that the American government desired to promote their welfare.

As the president's kindly expressions, were interpreted to them by Antero the dattos and chiefs nodded their heads in approval and smiled their thanks.

While the function was in progress the members of the cabinet arrived to attend the regular semi-weekly meeting Each in turn was presented to the Filipinos, who paid them the highest respect known to their people.

Before the conclusion of the reception the chiefs, through Antero, presented to the president some handsome native gifts, including curious carved metallic pipes, a beautifully embellished spear and two shields, one of closely woven native grass and the other of wood covered with hide.

Germany Approves Hay's Course.

Berlin, Aug. 10.—Secretary Hay's course toward Turkey, according to the official view here, is fully justifiable. The very exceptional relations Germany has with the porte will, it is assumed, be favorable to America should the sultan ask for Germany's advice.

Strike Against Unfair Scale.

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 10.—Eight hundred miners of the Erie company are on strike They say the scales with which the mine cars are weighed are incorrect and that they are deprived of the credit for half a ton of coal for each car.

FLAT IRON'S PURCHASE.

H. C. Frick Nearly Had Negotiations Completed for It.

That the building strikes did induce a number of capitalists who contemplated building lofty structural iron and steel buildings to abandon those plans, temporarily at least, is unquestioned. The building strikes probably cost in all, including the losses of wages, the canceling of contracts and the impairment of manufacture in structural steel and iron and the building materials, not far from $30,000,000. It is true that almost all of this was consequential, and not direct loss, for there has been no impairment of real estate values in New York City, writes "Holland" from New York in the Philadelphia Press.

One of the best illustrations of the suddenness with which this reaction came is that furnished by the abandonment of negotiations for the sale of the Flat Iron building at Broadway, Twenty-third street and Fifth avenue. When built is was of unique architecture, although it has been recently imitated a mile away at Forty-second street and Broadway by the architects who have constructed the almost completed building that is to be in part occupied by the Times. This smaller and newer building is ornamented, although some architects think disfigured by a superstructure, tower-like, delicate and graceful in its outlines, but yet destroying the massive simplicity of aspect which the building would otherwise have, and which is the striking feature of the lower Flat Iron building.

If Amos R. Eno were living, although he was accustomed to surprises in his real estate ventures and to see great wealth suddenly developed where before was only moderate income in real property, nevertheless he would be astonished were he to see upon the little triangle of land for which he paid less than $100,000 the most costly and eccentric and defiant of modern business structures erected, so different from all others that it now has world-wide celebrity The promoters of this building dared to put $4,000,000 into the land and structure and the wonder was how they could expect income enough to pay the interest upon the cost at a fair profit It was so lofty that would-be tenants were timid, fearing that a gale or lightning might play havoc with it. Its situation and its structure cause it to make curious wind phenomena, even producing suction across the street sufficient to crush in plate glass windows. There was one daring investor, however, who looked favorably upon this building, a man who has always been wisely daring in a business career unsurpassed for successes, and even romances, Henry C Frick.

When Mr. Frick was approached by the owners of the Flat Iron building, it was with a view of persuading him to do what no other man had done in New York City, excepting John Jacob Astor and his cousin, William Waldorf Astor. The negotiations involved the purchase by Mr. Frick of the Flat Iron building and went so far that he agreed to take the title and pay $5,000,000, even money, for the land and building. Both of the younger Astors have erected buildings that have cost as much as that, but it is not known that any individual has ever agreed to pay on his own account as much as $5,000,000 for any one structure in New York City

When it came to terms Mr Frick is understood to have offered to pay $4,000,000 in cash, which was exactly what the building and land cost, and $1,000,000 in Pittsburg real estate, appraised by competent experts. But upon these terms the owners hesitated It seemed to them that they should have spot cash, and while the negotiations were thus pending, that sudden, palpable and yet invisible reaction that affected all the New oYrk real estate properties made itself felt. Mr. Frick felt it and withdrew his offer. Now real estate experts are wondering whether the owners of that building made a mistake in not accepting Mr. Frick's terms or whether in the long run they will not find the income from the building sufficient to pay interest at a reasonable profit upon the investment.

At the same time a corporation that had erected one of the most beautiful and highest of the office buildings upon Broadway, near Union Square, found themselves of a sudden confronted by this reaction. The building is 18 stories high. After it was completed the various floors above the fourth were rented so rapidly as to cause amazement that there should have been that demand It was easy to figure that with tenantry of that kind and with the building entirely occupied there would be a handsome return upon the investment, somewhat in excess of $2,000,000. Three of the floors, the second, third and fourth, were under negotiations with certain desirable tenantry, the aggregate rental value of these three floors being $21,000. Almost upon the same day, certainly within the same week, every one of these negotiations was ended, nor has there been any demand from desirable tenantry since that time for the renting of these floors That reaction was almost identical in time with the one which caused Mr. Frick to withdraw his offer for the Flat Iron building

THE OUTLOOK GOOD.

Business Men of the Monongahela Valley Are Optimistic.

The business men who accurately gauge the degree of prosperity in the Monongahela Valley show the greatest optimism in the immediate outlook for a period of prosperity Their feeling of confidence is based on the general resumption of mills and shops of that busy district. An unusual amount of activity is noticed at the various blast furnaces. The big Edgar Thomson furnaces at Braddock are fast being put into condition to be operated to their fullest capacity At present there are nine of the 12 stacks in operation, and the three others are undergoing repairs, which are being rushed to completion. The force of men repairing the stacks was doubled Thursday This is taken to mean that these idle stacks will be blown in as soon as ready At the Carrie furnace, Rankin, the situation is the same as that at the Edgar Thomson plant, and the two idle stacks are being put in condition to be blown in as soon as possible.

The four blast furnaces at Duquesne are operating to their fullest capacity, as is the entire plant of the Carnegie Steel Company. Every open-hearth furnace is operating, and the two merchant bar mills are being pushed to their limit. During July the four furnaces at Duquesne almost equaled their world's record of 1900, when they turned out 61,000 tons of pig iron in 30 days.

The Jones & Laughlin Steel Company is rushing work on the first of the five new Talbot continuous process steel furnaces. It is expected to place it in operation by early fall The third converter of the Bessemer department will be placed in operation the first of the week, and the outlook is very bright for the resumption of the one idle stack at the Soho plant and the one at the Eliza group

The Homestead mills are working to their capacity with the exception of the converting mill and the 38-inch plate mill, which will be idle this week for some repairs, but which will be placed in operation as soon as ready. The Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company has felt the recent revival in manufacturing lines, and is daily increasing the force of men employed in its East Pittsburg and Wilmerding works. The Westinghouse Machine Company, especially, is rushed with orders and an extension to the present plant is talked of to accommodate the increased business.

The Clairton plant of the United States Steel Corporation placed four of its 12 open-hearth furnaces in operation, making the plant work up to its capacity, with the exception of the blast furnace, which is expected to resume in the near future

FROM THE COURT RECORDS.

Items of Interest From the County Offices—County Expenditures, Etc.

Elizabeth M League and Daniel M. League, her husband to Robert W Thompson, property in Bridgeport; $1,000, August 5, 1904

Georgia McClary Rush and husband, Charles H. Rush Jr to A W Hart, property in New Haven, $1500, June 24, 1904.

John H. Maust and Frances Maust to J. V. Thompson, coal underlying a lot in Uniontown, $50, August 1 1904

County Expenditures.

Alex. McBeth, county detective, salary for July, $100.

Dr G. B. Roberts services in small pox cases, $235

York Bridge Company, in full for Chaintown bridge, $2,805.

H. A Hutchinson, superintendent Dixmont Asylum bill to June 1, 1904 $167 12.

J. O. Miller, taking Andrew Barron to Dixmont, $6.14.

John W. Murphy, reward for arresting a horse thief, $20

N. P. Cooper supplies for county offices, $12 82.

Weller & Gray, electrical work at court house, $16 87.

Baker Office Furniture Company, on account for steel cases, $1,000.

The Falconer Company, blanks for county offices, $19.80

Read The Courier All the latest happenings of the day.

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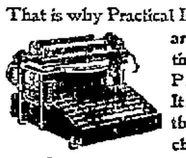
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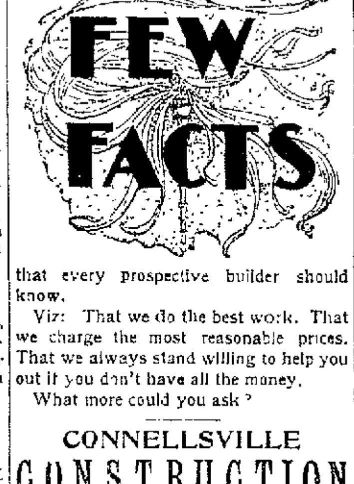

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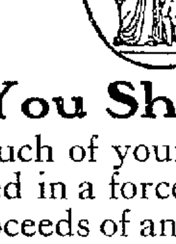
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PITTSBURG DIVISION AND BRANCHES

Eastern Standard Time.

In Effect May 15, 1904.

Trains to and from Pittsburg and points East and West via the MAIN LINE from Connellsville to Cumberland Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York.

EASTWARD.								STATIONS.	WESTWARD.							
10	13	16	8	2	46	6	48		9	11	1	13	47	5	49	20
*pm	*pm	*pm	*pm	†pm	*pm	*am	*am		*am	*am	†am	*am	*pm	*pm	*pm	‡am
9.00	6.30	....	4 30	1 35	1.00	8 00	6.30	....Pittsburg....	7.15	9.00	1000	....	2.45	7.45	[illegible]	[illegible]
9.31	6.57	....	4 37	2 14	1.34	8.29	7.07	...McKeesport....	6 38	8 29	9 25	....	2.19	7.13	6.43	[illegible]
10.02	....	....	5 26	3 05	2.04	....	7.55	...West Newton....	6.05	....	8.46	....	1.35	....	7.58	[illegible]
....	....	....	5 47	3 13	....	....	8.23	....Layton....	....		8 20	....		....	7.28	[illegible]
....	....	....	6.11	3.50	....	....	8.37	....Dawson....	....	....	8.06	....	....	....	7.13	[illegible]
....	....	....	6.18	3 58		....	8.44	....Broad Ford....	....	....	7.50	....	....	....	7.06	[illegible]
10 52	8.05	3 00	6 25	4.05	2.52	9.47	8 55	...Connellsville...	5 26	7 25	7.55	11 05	12.50	[illegible]	7.00	7 55
....	....	3 16	....	....		....	9.08	....Indian Creek....	....	....	....	10.26	....	....	6.31	
....	....	3 34	....	....		10 12	9.21	....Bear Run....	....	....	....	10.12	....	....	6.13	...
11.25	....	3 39	....	....		....	9.27	....Ohiopyle....			....	10 07	12 00	....	6.08	...
11.50	....	4 04	....	....	3.40	....	9 54	....Confluence....	....		....	9 40	11 44	....	5.49	...
....	....	4.09	....			....	9.58	....Ursina....	....	....	....	9.36	....	....	5.44	...
12.11	....	4.27	....	....	3.58	10.51	10 15	....Markleton....	5.14	....	....	9 22	11.22	[illegible]	5.28	...
12.28	9.15	4 45	....	....	4.15	11.05	10 33	....Rockwood....	4 01		....	9.05	11.10	[illegible]	5.14	...
12.57	....	5.16	....		4.41	....	11.02	....Meyersdale....	....	5 55	....	8.42	10.40	....	4.50	...
2.11	1042	5.50	....		6.05	11.47	12.27	....Cumberland....	2 00	4.40	....	7.10	9.30	[illegible]	3.15	
5.20	2 45	....	....		11.05	4.42	....	....Washington....	9.15	12.40	....	....	....	11.00	....	....
7.50	3.47	....	....	....	12.25	5.50	....	....Baltimore....	8.00	11 41	....	....	....	10.00	....	....
10.15	6.00	....	....	....	3.10	8.19	....	....Philadelphia....	5 20	9.30	....	....	....	7.40	....	....
12 40	8.35	....	....	....	5.52	10.40	....	....New York....	3.55	6 55	....	....	....	12.10	....	....
pm	am	pm	pm		pm	pm	pm		pm	pm	am	am	am	am	pm	am

Fairmont, Morgantown & Pittsburg Branch.

Trains to and from Pittsburg and points East and West via the Fairmont, Morgantown & Pittsburg Branch from Connellsville to Uniontown, Morgantown, Fairmont and Clarksburg. Nos. 2, 4, 44, 1, 3 and 7 are through trains to and from Pittsburg without change.

SOUTHWARD.							STATIONS.	NORTHWARD.			
		44	4	2	50	52		1	3	7	51
		†pm	†pm	†pm	*am	†am		*am	†pm	†pm	*pm
...	....	4.06	5 00	1 35	8 35		....Pittsburg....	1000	12.50	5 05	7.45
...	....	6.45	5 50	4.10	9.50	7.55	....Connellsville....	7 50	11.00	2 27	5.25
...	.	6.50	6 53	4.14	......	7.58	....Gibson....	7.45	......	2 22	5.20
...	....						....Fayette....				
...	....	6 57	7 00	4.22	10 04	8 06	....Dunbar....	7.30	10.48	2 12	5.12
...	....						....Ferguson....				
...	....	7.06	7.07	4 31	10 13	8.14	....Mt. Braddock....	7 25	10.35	2 05	5.06
....	.		....		.		....Percy....		....		....
....	.		....		......		....Stambaugh....		....		....
....	....		....		......		....Lemont....		....		....
....	....		....		....		....Oliver....		....		....
....	...	7.25	7.23	4.48	10.35	8.33	....Uniontown....	7.10	10 07	1.50	4.48
....	....	7 40	....	5.07	10.54		....Fairchance....	6.46	......		4.34
....	....	7.55	7 40	5 14	11.07		....Smithfield....	6.40	[illegible]		4.06
....	.	8.22	8.16	5.40	11.27	...	....Point Marion....	6.15	9.17	....	3.36
....	....	8.45	8.45	5.06	11.52	...	....Morgantown....	5.56	[illegible]	....	3.10
....	....	....	9.50	....	1 00	....	....Fairmont....	....		....	2.10
....	....	....	12.40	....	6.15	..	....Weston....	....		..	6.15
		pm	am	pm	am	am		am	am	pm	am

Mt. Pleasant Branch.

SOUTHWARD.				STATIONS.	NORTHWARD.		
	58	56	52		53	57	59
	†pm	†pm	am		†am	†pm	†pm
...	5 05	1 40	6 50	..Mt. Pleasant.	9 25	4 58	7 40
...	5 22	1 56	7 06	...Scottdale....	9 04	4 15	7 22
...	5 24	1 58	7 08	. Everson....	9 02	4 13	7 20
	5 33	2 09	7 19	Morgan....	8 49	4 01	7 09
...	5 42	2 15	7 23	...Broad Ford...	8 45	3 56	7 05
....	7 45	5 05	1000	... Pittsburg....	6 00	1 30	5 00
	pm	pm	am		am	pm	pm

Somerset & Cambria Branch.

SOUTH.			STATIONS.	NORTH.	
	246	206		247	205
	†pm	*am		†am	*pm
	4 35	9 00	.Rockwood.	11 20	5 36
	3 50		....Milford....	11 30	5 25
....	3 30	8 36	..Somerset..	11 46	5 50
..	3 28	8 25	....Geiger....	11 57	5 50
....	2 46	7 46	Hooversv'e.	12 20	6 34
..	2 00	7 00	Johnstown.	1 25	7 35
	pm	am		pm	pm

Confluence & Oakland Branch.

Trains leave Confluence at 6.00 and 10.30 am., Somerfield 6.30 am, and 11.15 am., arriving at Kendall at 7.10 am and 12.01 pm.

Trains leave Kendall at 7.20 am. and 12 20 pm., Somerfield 8.35 am. and 2.20 pm., arriving at Confluence at 9.35 am. and 3.00 pm. Trains run daily except Sunday.

Berlin Branch

Trains leave Garrett at 11.16 am and 5.15 pm., arriving at Berlin at 11.55 am. and 5.40 pm.

Trains leave Berlin at 8.00 am. and 2.45 pm., arriving at Garrett at 8.40 am. and 3.20 pm.

Trains run daily except Sunday.

NOTE.—Mail trains connect at Rockwood with trains to and from Somerset and Johnstown, at Hyndman with trains to and from Bedford, at Garrett with trains to and from Berlin, at Salisbury Junction with trains to and from Salisbury. Nos. 14, 6, 9 and 47 connect at Confluence with train on Confluence and Oakland Branch, south. Confluence & Oakland Branch train, north, connects at Confluence with Nos. 49 and 46 No. 12 will stop at McKeesport on signal for passengers for Philadelphia and New York.

Explanation. * Daily. † Daily except Sunday ‡ Sunday only

D B. MARTIN, Manager of Passenger Traffic, Baltimore, Md.

W. C. LOREE, General Superintendent, Pittsburg, Pa.

H. L. DOUGLAS, Ticket Agent, Connellsville, Pa.

Pennsylvania Railroad

Southwest Branch.

Eastern Standard Time. In effect May 29, 1904

NORTHWARD.				STATIONS.	SOUTHWARD.			
118	109	103	101		404	100	104	108
pm	pm	am	am		am	am	pm	pm
....	2 12	....	6 42	.Fairchance..	....	11 40	......	8 05
4 40	2 26	8 57	7 00	.Uniontown.	8 44	11 23	4 16	7 47
4 45	2 23	9 02	7 03	Redstone Jc.	8 39	11 18	4 11	7 42
4 56	2 40	9 14	7 09	...Darent...	8 31	11 11	4 04	7 35
4 59	....	.....	....	.Stambaugh.		.....	....	
.....	....	.....	.....	....Frost....	.....			.....
5 03	2 46	9 20	7 15	....Gist....	8 26	11 06	3 58	7 30
5 05	....		....	..Ferguson..		.....		
5 09	2 53	9 27	7 21	....Dunbar....	8 21	11 00	3 50	7 24
5 13	2 59	9 32	....	...Wheeler....		10 56	3 43	
5 16	3 02	9 35	7 26	.New Haven.	8 14	10 53	3 40	7 17
5 20	3 06	9 38	7 32	Connellsville.	8 10	10 49	3 36	7 13
5 30		.....	7 40	....Moyer....	8 03	.....	..	7 06
5 34	3 17	9 50	7 44	..Penneville..	7 59	10 39	3 24	7 00
5 37	3 21	9 54	...	Valley W'k's		10 30	3 20	
5 40	3 24	9 57	7 50	....Everson....	7 55	10 23	3 17	6 55
5 43	3 27	10 00	7 53	...Scottdale.	7 52	10 20	3 14	6 52
	....			.Scott'd'e Jc			.....	
6 14	3 59	10 32	8 23	Youngwood.	7 24	9 58	2 41	6 20
6 21	4 06	10 38	8 29	Co. Home Jc	7 18	9 52	2 36	6 14
7 27	4 16	10 46	8 39	.Greensburg.	7 10	9 48	2 25	6 05
7 39	...	10 55	......	..Jeannette..	6 19	9 27	1 28	5 55
7 52	4 33	11 06	8 57	....Irwin.	5 64	9 12	1 15	5 45
8 10	4 45	11 19	9 10	.Wilmerding.	5 46	8 50	[illegible]	5 31
8 35	5 05	11 40	9 30	East Liberty	5 25	8 32	1240	5 15
8 45	5 15	11 50	9 40	..Pittsburg.	5 16	8 25	1230	5 05

Sunday Service on Southwest Branch.

Northward—Leave Fairchance at 6.50 am., Uniontown 7 07 am. and 7.45 pm., Dunbar 7.30 am. and 8.11 pm., New Haven 7.36 am. and 8.17 pm., Connellsville 7.40 am. and 8.21 pm., Moyer 7.48 am. and 8.30 pm., Penneville 7.52 am. and 8.34 pm., Scottdale 8.00 am. and 8.48 pm., Greensburg 8.59 am. and 9.44 pm., arriving at Pittsburg at 10.20 am. and 10.50 pm.

Southward—Leave Pittsburg at 4.55 pm. and 8.00 am., Greensburg 6 05 pm. and 9.15 am., Scottdale 6 49 pm. and 10.04 am., Penneville 6.57 pm. and 10.12 am., Moyer 7.01 am. pm. and 10.16 pm., Connellsville 7.10 pm. and 10.25 am., New Haven 7.14 pm. and 10.29 am., Dunbar 7.21 pm. and 10.36 am., arrive at Uniontown at 7 18 pm. and 10.59 am., at Fairchance at 11.15 am

Main Line East.

ALTOONA Accom. leaves Greensburg at 6.28 am.

DAY EXPRESS leaves Greensburg at 8.34 am., Altoona 11.00, Philadelphia 5.47 pm.

MAIN LINE EXPRESS leaves Greensburg at 9.08 am., Altoona 17.35, Philadelphia 5.23 pm., New York 9.30.

MAIL EXPRESS leaves Greensburg at 1.57 pm., Altoona 5.45, Harrisburg 10.

PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS leaves Greensburg at 5.55 pm., Altoona 8.50, Philadelphia 4.23 am., New York 7.18

FAST LINE leaves Greensburg at 10 05 pm., Altoona 12.40, am., Philadelphia 7.17 New York 9.33 am.

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Cleveland Short Line.

Central Standard Time In effect Nov 22, 1903

NORTH.			STATIONS.	SOUTH.		
39	135	129		132	136	38
pm	pm	am		am	pm	am
6 16	2 05	5 30	....New Haven....	[illegible]	6 16	5 22
6 15	2 10	5 35	.Broad Ford Jc.	[illegible]	[illegible]	5 17
6 16	2 12	5 36	....Adelaide....	[illegible]	6 01	5 15
6 25	2 15	5 45	.Dickerson Run.	[illegible]	[illegible]	5 10
....	2 28	6 00	....Fuller....	[illegible]	5 30	...
....	[illegible]	6 22	..West Newton..	[illegible]	[illegible]	...
....	[illegible]	7 15	...McKeesport...	[illegible]	[illegible]	
..	[illegible]	8 00	....Pittsburg....	[illegible]	[illegible]	
....	6 45	9 14	...Beaver Falls.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
....	6 55	9 25	...New Castle....	[illegible]	[illegible]	
....	7 40	1015	..Youngstown..	[illegible]	[illegible]	
....	9 30	1240	....Cleveland....	[illegible]	[illegible]	
....	[illegible]	[illegible]	....Buffalo....	[illegible]	1110	
...	7 [illegible]	....	....Chicago....	[illegible]	[illegible]	
pm	am	am		pm	pm	am

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Washington Run R. R

EAST.			STATIONS.	WEST.		
2	4	6		1	3	5
A.M.	P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
7.45	5.20	6 50	..Star Junc..	8.40	5.06	7.21
7 47	5.21	6.52	No. 2 Mines	8.38	5.03	7.19
7 48	5 23	6 53	...Victoria...	8.37	5 02	7.18
7 50	5.25	6 55	Perryopolis.	8 35	5.00	7.15
8.00	5 35	7.05	A Layton L	8.25	5.50	7.31

All trains run daily. (f) Stop on signal to take on and let off passengers.

J. S. NEWMYER, Gen'l Supt

N. P. HEADMAN, G. F. and P. A.

Uncle Terry

....By....

CHARLES CLARK MUNN

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CHAPTER XVII.

SANDGATE was just budding forth in a new suit of green, the meadows dotted with daisies, and here and there a bunch of tiger lilies waved in the breeze when one Friday afternoon the teacher at the north district school heard a knock.

The class in reading, then in evidence, were halted in their singsong of concert utterance, and Alice Page opened the door to find two stalwart young men standing there. With a quick impulse of propriety she stepped out and closed the door behind her, only to find herself clasped in a big brother's arms and to receive a smack that was heard by every pupil in the little schoolroom. With a very red face she freed herself and then presented a small hand to the other young man with the remark:

"I think you are both just as mean as you can be to surprise me in this way!"

When explanations were duly made, the two visitors were invited inside and given seats. The class in reading was then dismissed and that in spelling called to what was now seemingly to them an unexpected misery. A bombshell or a ghost at the window would not have produced any more consternation than those two strange visitors. This class, that one by one filed up in front of the teacher's desk and ranged themselves in line, stood trembling, and the boy at the head, to whom was put the first word, was unable to utter a sound. The next one spelled it wrong, and it was tried by two others and finally spelled right by a girl who could hardly do better than whisper it. She was told to go to the head, and after that the rest did better. The search for knowledge in that school had received a setback, however, for that day, and Alice decided to do the wisest thing and dismiss her band of pupils without delay. When the room was cleared of them she turned to her two callers and said with mock seriousness, "The first class in deportment will now define propriety."

"Propriety is—is— Propriety," replied her brother, "consists in two young men surprising one small and very saucy schoolma'am and letting a lot of imprisoned boys and girls escape to the woods and enjoy an extra hour of freedom."

"Not right," said Alice severely. "The next pupil will now answer."

"Propriety," answered Frank, "consists in two young men escaping from the city and relieving one tired schoolteacher from her duty and permitting her to go and gather flowers if she will. But which was the girl you told the fairy tale to, Miss Page?" he added as Alice began putting her books away.

"The only one in the spelling class you two bold, bad men didn't scare half out of her wits," she answered.

Frank walked about the room, peering curiously at its rather primitive fittings.

"So this is what you call a temple of learning," he remarked as he surveyed the barnlike room. "It is a curiosity to me, and the first time I was ever in an old time country schoolhouse. I should like to peep through one of the knotholes some day and watch the performances and hear a scared boy speak a piece."

"You had better not try it," answered Alice, "unless you want two or three farmers to swoop down on you armed with scythes and demanding to know what you are doing there."

When she had locked the schoolhouse door they got into the carriage the two young men had come in and left the forlorn little temple to the solitude of the trees and bushes that almost hid it from sight.

"I will stop in the village," said Albert as they drove away, "and leave you two to go home or take a ride, as suits you best; only, mind, be home by tea time, for I shall be hungry."

There is no time when a drive along wooded country roads is more charming than when the trees are fast growing green and the meadows spangled with daisies and buttercups.

"Let's go around by the mill pond," said Alice after leaving her brother in the village. "The road to it follows the brook up a mile. We may find a few lilies in the pond."

The brook beside which they were soon walking the horse was a charming bit of scenery as it came leaping over mossy ledges, laughing, chattering and filling the pools with foam flecks, and the old mill, with its great wheel dripping and clattering, and the mill itself proved even a greater curiosity to Frank than the schoolhouse. He hitched the horse, and, helping his fair companion to alight, the two went inside the mill and watched the rumbling wheels. Alice introduced her escort to the miller, and after they had been shown the mysteries of grinding he invited them out to the pond, and after bailing the old leaky boat so it was usable the two visitors started after the lilies.

"Mind you don't tip me over," said Alice. "I can't swim."

"If I do I'll rescue you or drown with you," he answered gallantly. "What silly nothings those two young people uttered as they made the circuit of that long wood bordered mill pond! One at least was just tasting the first sweet illusion of love, and the glassy surface of the water that reflected the trees bending over it, the bunches of water flag growing here and there and the scattered patches of broad lily pads, with now and then a white blossom, made a most picturesque background for the girl who sat in the stern. Her piquant face, shaded by a broad sun hat, was fairer to his eyes than any of the lilies she plucked, and as she drew one sleeve up a little to reach for them the round arm and dimpled hand she thrust into the water looked tempting enough to kiss. The miller had shut the gate and gone home when they returned to the mill.

"Do you know," remarked Frank when they had left the mill behind and were driving through a bit of woods, "that I have anticipated this visit for weeks? I know scarcely anything about the country, and it is all a revelation to me. I've seen pictures of old mills and ponds covered with lilies, but no painter can ever put the reality on canvas. Why, that great wheel, covered with moss and churning away all day so steadily, with a willow bending over it, is a poem in itself!"

"The mill was built over a hundred years ago," observed Alice, "and has been grinding away ever since. I love to visit it, for it takes me back to childhood, and," she added, a little sadly, "it makes me live over the happiest days of my life, when father used to take me with him everywhere he went."

"'But the mill will never grind with the water that has passed,'" quoted Frank, "and 'the tender grace of a day that is dead will never come back to me.' I wish I had been country born. I think I've missed countless pages of pleasant memories. Do you know," he added, turning to his companion, "I am rapidly falling in love with the country and—and its pretty sights?"

"Whose idea was it to pounce upon me that way at school?" exclaimed Alice suddenly, throwing off her retrospective mood and smiling again. "Was it yours or Bert's?"

"I confess I coaxed Bert to do it. We had to take the train at 5 o'clock in the morning and have coffee and rolls at the station for breakfast and pie and sandwiches for dinner."

"And all to surprise one poor little schoolma'am and break up her school," put in Alice. "Was it worth all that annoyance?"

"Up to the present moment," answered Frank, "I must honestly say it was. This drive and the mill I consider cheap at any price."

"I don't mean this part of the surprise," said Alice, blushing a little at his open admiration. And then in self defense she added: "What has become of the Gypsy? Bert writes me that you two are planning trips in her already."

"She is still in winter quarters," answered Frank. "I've been too busy studying law to do more than think of her. I've reformed, you know."

What silly nothings these two young people uttered!

Alice made no reply. The memory of what he had so evidently wished her to infer regarding his reasons for this new departure came to her in an instant and brought a little wonderment as to the possible outcome of it. Turn which way she would and propose what topic she might, he seemed bound to use it as a vehicle of his undisguised admiration. She had wished to consider him as a friend, because he had been a friend to her adored brother when that brother needed one, and while she had written him a dozen chatty letters which might be printed for all the privacy they contained, she had studiously refrained from allowing him to infer even that she had any special interest in his actions.

When they arrived home Albert was on the piazza and Aunt Susan had supper waiting. The table was set with blue ware of a very old and quaint pattern, and when Alice had filled a bowl with lilies for a centerpiece they gathered around and "passed things" in true country fashion. The evening was unusually warm for June, and after the two young men had smoked and chatted for half an hour Alice appeared dressed in sportless white, with a half open lily in her hair and another at her throat. The moon, which was nearing its full, shone through the open spaces of the vineclad porch and added an ethereal touch to the sylphlike picture she presented.

"Well," she remarked cheerfully as she seated herself near her brother, "my time is yours, and what can I do to entertain you?"

"I had planned to take Frank to a trout brook tomorrow morning," responded Albert, "and in the afternoon you and he can hunt for mill ponds and grottoes, if you like, or gather laurel."

"And leave me alone all the forenoon?" put in Alice. "No, thank you. I'm shut up for five days, and you can't get rid of me so easily. Why can't I go too?"

"I'm agreeable," replied her brother, "only a trout brook is not nice walking for a lady."

"I'm aware of that," she responded, "and you two can go fishing, and I'll hunt for laurel in the meantime. We can take a basket of lunch with us and make a day of it in the woods." Then, as a possible contingency presented itself to her, she added: "Why not let me invite my friend, Abby Miles, to go for company? She and I can pick laurel, and when you have caught all the harmless little trout you want we can meet where we leave the wagon and have a picnic."

"That suits me," said her brother, and without waiting for further discussion this diplomatic fairy in white arose and remarked: "I'll get a shawl, and then I'll trouble you, Mr. Nason, to escort me over to Abby's. It's only a few rods, and I want you to meet her. She's ever so nice."

The plan as mapped by Alice was carried out to the letter, and when the two young men joined the girls at noon they found a broad flat rock in the woods had been covered with a tablecloth and spread with a tempting meal. The girls had gathered great bunches of pink laurel, and a cluster of it decked the table. After dinner Alice insisted that they visit the mill pond once more, and when they returned at night with two baskets of trout and laurel and pond lilies enough to stock a flower stand the day was voted an eminent success.

Frank made one error, however, for just before they left the mill he slipped away unobserved and, finding the miller, put a bit of paper into his hand with the remark, "Keep this to pay for the boat," and left him hurriedly. When the old man made examination he found he had a five dollar bill. To surprises of this kind he was not accustomed, and before noon the next day there wasn't a man, woman or child in Sandgate who had not heard of it.

CHAPTER XVIII.

THAT evening Frank begged for music, and Alice sung for two long hours. When the concert was ended Albert observed: "If there's one song in the house that you have not sung, Alice, I wish you would sing it. I hate to have you omit any."

"I have only sung what I was asked to," she replied. "Is not that so, Mr. Nason?"

"That is true," replied he boldly, "and you have not sung one that I wouldn't enjoy hearing again tonight."

"Oh, I have enjoyed them all," said Albert, "only I thought you might have missed one, and, as Frank remarked coming home that he was hungry for music, I wanted him satisfied."

The next day they attended church, only this time all three walked back together. Alice was gracious to possibly all her jokes and sallies and all her conversation were lavished upon Frank. Several times Frank, who intuitively felt she did not wish to be left alone with him, started to ask her to take a walk that Sunday evening, but each time his disappointment prevailed. "If she is waiting to be sure to any lovemaking, she has to wait or else to give me a chance," he thought, and unless she is I had better keep aside. The evening was one to tempt Cupid, for the moonlight fell checkered through the half naked elms along the roadway, and where here and there a group of maples stood was a bit of shadow. The whippoorwills had just returned to Sandgate, and over the meadows scattered fireflies twinkled. The houses along the way to the village were wide apart and the evening air just right for a loitering walk. So Frank, anxious to say a few words that would further his hopes in the direction of this bewitching girl, it seemed a waste of good time not to take advantage of the evening. It was almost past and the lights in the houses across the valley had long since vanished when he obtained a little consolation.

The charm of the evening had stilled conversation, and neither had spoken for a long time when he said rather disconsolately: "My anticipated visit is almost over. May I ask you to go in and sing just one song for me, Miss Page?"

"With pleasure," she responded in her sweetest tone; "what shall it be?"

"I will leave that to your selection," he replied.

Without a word she led the way in and began searching among the pile of music on the piano, and, finding what she wanted, opened and spread the music on the rack.

It was "Ben Bolt."

She sang it in a minor key, and as the opening words, "Oh, don't you remember sweet Alice, Ben Bolt," floated out on the still evening air they seemed to him fraught with a new meaning and that a veritable sweet Alice was bidding him, another Ben Bolt, not to forget her. When the last note had faded into the night air she turned her now serious eyes toward him.

"I thank you," he almost whispered. "And there won't be many waking moments in my future when I shall not think of—sweet Alice!"

It was not much of a love scene, but to him it seemed a wide open door of hope, and when many miles separated them, and for days, weeks and months afterward, even when doing his best to crowd dull law reports into his brain, the one tender glance she gave him and the tones of her voice came back with unfailing accuracy.

The first visit of Frank Nason to the Page home, his sleighrides with Alice and his appearance at church had caused no end of comment. It was known that he had been a classmate of Albert and came from Boston, and later Aunt Susan vouchsafed the information that she "guessed he came from one o' the first families and that he appeared right well behaved."

It was all she really did know, for both Alice and her brother were considerate of her failings and knew it was not safe to discuss their visitor in her presence. The tempest of gossip had not more than half quieted down when it received a regular boom from his second coming. The pupils of the north end district school spread the news of their teacher's unexpected callers and that she had dismissed school at once and gone on with the stranger. Old Amos Curtis, the miller, told of their visit and, wonder upon wonder, how the next day "her beau" had given him a five dollar bill "jest fer lettin' 'em use a leaky old boat fer an hour."

The buxom Abby Miles had the best and longest story to tell, and her praise of Mr. Nason, how polite he was and "how he couldn't keep his eyes off'n Alice all the afternoon," was whispered to every girl she knew. The five dollar incident created the most gossip, however. The miller had remarked that a "young feller who threw money round that way must be rich," and that remark soon grew into a story that Alice Page's beau was worth a million and that she was engaged to him.

As might be expected, the subject of all this gossip heard none of it until the storm had reached alarming proportions. Mrs. Means was the first one to tell the extent of the gossip.

"They tell me," said that worthy matron to Alice one Sunday after church, "that you ain't likely to teach school after this summer."

"And why not?" answered Alice. "Don't I give satisfaction?"

"Oh, 'tain't that. I guess you can imagine the reason, and I want to be the first to congratulate you. They tell me he's worth a pile o' money, an' he's sartinly well favored so far as looks goes; but, then, 'handsome is as handsome does' was allus my motto."

Alice colored.

"Do you mean Mr. Nason, my brother's friend?" she said seriously.

"Why, who else would I mean? I've heard that you was to be married this fall and that he is worth a million. They say he told Amos Curtis he was, though I don't believe that. But anyway, Amos says he gave him $5 'jest fer usin' his old boat that wa'n't worth splittin' up fer kindlin's!'"

"It's not true, not one word of it," exclaimed Alice angrily, "and if you care for me one bit I wish you would tell everybody I said so."

She waited to hear no more, nor for Aunt Susan, who had lingered to chat with some one, but walked home hurriedly, as if to hide herself. Once in the silent house she began to cool off.

"I won't believe he told Amos he was worth a million," she said to herself. "He isn't so stupid as that. But I am afraid the silly boy did give him $5, which has started all this gossip."

When Aunt Susan came in she fairly pounced upon her. "Why haven't you told me, auntie, about all this gossip that's going the rounds regarding Mr. Nason and myself? I know you have heard it."

"It's all nonsense, Alice," answered that lady rather sharply, "and you are foolish to listen to 'em. I've heard it, of course, but so long as it's no discredit to you, why, let it go into one ear and out t'other, same as I do. Folks must talk in this town, an' what they're saying 'bout you ought to make you feel proud—that a young fellow like him and worth money wanted to come courtin', and he certainly showed he did or I'm no judge."

"He's got Aunt Susan on his side as well as Bert," Alice thought, "and I am glad I kept him at a distance, just to pay him for being so silly with his money."

She turned her non serious eyes toward him.

Late that afternoon Alice called upon Abby Miles and talked about everything except the subject she most wanted to talk about, and then as Abby usually had a Sunday evening caller Alice came home at dusk. Never before had the house seemed so lonesome, and as she sat on the porch and tried to talk with Aunt Susan her thoughts were elsewhere.

When the lights across the valley, which served as curfew by saying bedtime when they went out, had disappeared, she came in and, seating herself in the dark at the piano, softly played the chords and hummed the words of a song.

"It'll come out all right," said Aunt Susan to herself, and she waited till Alice called to her to come in and go to bed.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

How Sea Birds Get a Drink.

"When I was a cabin boy," said an elderly sailor, "I often used to wonder, seein' birds thousands of miles out to sea, what they done for fresh water when they got thirsty.

"One day a squall answered that question for me. It was a hot and glitterin' day in the tropics, and in the clear sky overhead a black rain cloud appeared all of a sudden. Then out of the empty space over a hundred sea birds came dartin' from every direction. They got under the rain cloud and they waited there for about ten minutes, circlin' round and round, and when the rain began to fall they drank their fill.

"In the tropics, where the great sea birds sail thousands of miles away from shore, they get their drinkin' water in that way. They smell out a storm a long way off; they travel a hundred miles, maybe, to get under it, and they swallow enough raindrops to keep them goin'."—Portland Oregonian.

She Knew.

"I broke mamma's hand mirror yesterday."

"Oh, that's such bad luck!"

"I know it. I got an awful whipping for it."

NO FLIRT, SHE.

Mother: "Sometimes there are rude little boys in church who giggle and smile at the girls, and some of the little girls smile back at them. But I hope my little girl does not behave like that."

Little Girl: "No, indeed, mother; I always stick my tongue out at them."

TO SAVE CALIFORNIA ELK.

Rich Cattleman to Have Preserve For Them Near San Francisco.

The California elk is to be saved from extinction. Henry Miller, the cattle king, is to save the elk, says the San Francisco Chronicle. He is at work upon a magnificent country home within easy reach of San Francisco. It is called Mount Madonna, because it tops a little mountain of that name; but Elkwood might be a more appropriate designation, for it is about this surpassing country seat that Henry Miller is arranging a preserve, immune from gun and dog and the civilized things which harry forest dwellers, where the California elk may live on in peace to the perpetuation and even increase of his kind.

The cattle king will be able to carry out his praiseworthy scheme, because already he owns about all the California elk which lift their antlers today. There may be 150 specimens of these magnificent elk in California. Henry Miller owns 125.

The elk which he now owns compose what is probably the only herd of American elk which it will be possible to save. In the terribly rough Jackson's Hole country of Wyoming, in Arizona and in a few places farther east the last of the elk are now in hiding. Tardy game laws have come too late to permit the rejuvenating of their kind in the United States. The elk must soon follow the moose, whose fate was that of the buffalo. Henry Miller would have elk in California when elk are to be found nowhere else in the country.

Miller's elk are on one of his many cattle ranches, the Buena Vista ranch, in the mountains of Kern county, thirty-four miles east of Bakersfield. When first cattle were driven there the elk were plentiful. Herds of elk grazed and browsed with herds of steers. With the settlement of the country the elk thinned before the settlers' guns. When but a few were left Henry Miller saw that complete extermination was close at hand, and he interfered. He chose the best wooded portion of his land, containing hundreds of acres of timber and thicket, in places almost impenetrable, and built about the great area an eight foot fence. The fence was left open at places, and the natural instincts of the elk taught him in time that only within this ideal retreat, always guarded from hunters and intruders, was he safe. The elk of the whole vicinity took up their home there and their number has increased within the last ten years.

Ex-Senator Davis' Locust Trees.

Ex-Senator Henry G. Davis of West Virginia, the Democratic vice presidential nominee, seems never to have calculated against an age limit, says Melville Davisson Post in Harper's Weekly. One afternoon in the present summer he was walking through the grounds of his beautiful estate at the town of Elkins, where he resides. He was accompanied by one of his superintendents, and the conversation ran upon the growth of trees. "These North Carolina poplars," said the ex-senator, "grow rapidly, but they are poor trees at the end." "Why don't you try some hardier trees?" responded the superintendent. "I have thought about the locust," ex-Senator Davis answered. "Let me see, a locust grows about twenty-five inches in twenty years," and then musingly, "I think I shall put some out."

Preaching on the Run.

The population of the north end of Kansas City shifted suddenly toward Third and Main streets about 9 o'clock the other night, and so great was the commotion that several policemen about headquarters ran for their coats and clubs and started in that direction, says the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. In the center of the crowd was an old man preaching. "I had to get an audience some way," he explained when a policeman tapped him on the shoulder. The preacher had tried in vain to gather a few listeners about him, but, failing to do this, he started on the run up Main street, shouting gospel truths on the way. By the time he had run a block he had an audience of several hundred.

SAVED FROM PRISON BY HEAT

Jurymen Reimburse a Girl Who Lost $10 Rather Than Swelter.

The stuffy little office of Justice of the Peace W. E. Hall at Cairo, N. Y., was jammed and overflowing the other day as the case of Walters versus Freleigh was on trial, says the New York World. It was sweltering, and the jury, composed of hill men, fairly sizzled in hearing the case. Miss Pearl Walters had lost a ten dollar bill on the street and she accused Albert Freleigh, fifteen years old, of having the money.

Master Albert admitted having once had the lost bill, but said that it had disappeared. When he had picked up the money in the street he placed it, he said, in his trousers pocket, with 75 cents of his own money. A few minutes later he met a chum and went with him woodchuck hunting. Returning to town, Albert met Miss Walters, who told him of her loss.

"Well, I found the money, and here it is," said Albert, running his hand into his pocket. The $10, also the 75 cents in silver, had slipped through a hole in the pocket. Albert's explanation did not satisfy Miss Walters, who had him arrested. The boy told his story in a straightforward way and the jury was much puzzled as to what should be done. Finally, while they were deliberating in the humid, heated atmosphere, up rose a six foot juryman from Round Top mountain.

"Here, gal," said he, handing the astonished plaintiff $10 that he had surreptitiously collected from his fellow jurymen, "take this money. We can't lose time right here in hayin', and huckleberry pickers makin' $3 a day, so we'll settle this in a jiffy. I move, your honor, that we dismiss this case."

The court immediately set Albert free.

Philippine Wood In American Cars.

The Burlington railway has put in operation out of Kansas City on the Chicago "Eli" train two new dining cars. The cars are finished in what is known as madder wood, taken from the Philippine Islands, and are said to be the first two cars in operation in the United States in which this wood was used, says the Kansas City Times. Madder wood is of a dark brown color and shows its grain attractively. The two diners are lighted by acetylene gas, and instead of the usual lamps in the upper deck of the cars are lanterns cast from statuary bronze and fitted with art glass. Each car represents the expenditure of about $18,000. They are equipped with Haviland china, purchased in Kansas City.

A Cotillon Figure.

A novel cotillon figure was introduced at a country house dance the other night, says the New York Globe. The leader took thirteen men out of the ballroom, and the "leaderess" distributed to a dozen girls, who had to remain behind, the return halves of railroad tickets. The men in the passage each received the half for the outward journey. At a given signal every one sat down, and the leader took up his post at the door, while the thirteen men presented their tickets, each in turn. The names of the stations were called out, and the outward halves danced with the returns, except in the case of the unlucky man who had received a dog ticket, and he had to dance alone.

Seer.

"Tell me what you eat and I'll tell you what you are," said the seer.

The man told him what he ate.

"You're a blanked fool!" said the seer.

"Wonderful! Wonderful!" exclaimed the man.—Puck.

At First Sight.

"Did he fall in love at first sight?"

"Yes. First sight of her bank account."—Princeton Tiger.

Chinese Soldier's Hatred of Russia.

Governor General Tsen of Canton is said to have urged the empress of China five times to declare war against Russia, and to have sent telegraphic messages to all the leading mandarins in the empire to support him.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD. BULLETIN.

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To The St. Louis World's Fair at Very Low Rates.

Various forms of excursion tickets to St. Louis via Baltimore & Ohio railroad now on sale from Connellsville as follows:

Season Tickets, good to return until December 15, 1904, to be sold daily at rate of $25.25 round trip.

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Three solid vestibuled trains are run daily from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington via Parkersburg and Cincinnati to St. Louis.

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REDUCED FARES

Authorized via Baltimore & Ohio, Summer Season, 1904.

Atlantic City and Seashore: Special low rate excursions from all points east of the Ohio river on June 30, July 16 and 28, August 11 and 25, and September 8.

Boston, Mass.: National Encampment, G. A. R., August 15-20. One fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale August 13 to 15, good to return until August 20, inclusive.

Louisville, Ky.: Knights of Pythias, Biennial Encampment, August 16-19. One fare plus $1 for the round trip. Tickets on sale August 12, 13, 14 and 15, good returning until August 31, inclusive.

Toronto, Ont.: Friends General Conference, August 10-19. One fare plus $2 for the round trip. Tickets on sale August 9 to 11, good returning until August 31, inclusive.

San Francisco, Cal.: Triennial Conclave, Knights Templar, September 5-9. One fare for the round trip to Chicago or St. Louis added to fares tendered therefrom (Chicago $50, St. Louis $47.50). Dates of sale to be announced later.

San Francisco, Cal.: Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. September 19-25. One fare for the round trip to Chicago or St. Louis added to fares tendered therefrom (Chicago $50.00; St. Louis $47.50). Dates of sale to be announced later.

For additional information concerning rates, routes, time of trains, etc., call on or address ticket agents Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

ST. LOUIS

Variable Route Excursion Tickets $16.65 Via B. & O. R. R.

The B. & O. have placed on sale at Connellsville fifteen day excursion tickets going via Cincinnati and returning via Chicago or the reverse of this route with stop overs at both points within the final limit, at rate of $16.65. Call at B. & O. depot for full information.

Only $1.80 to Rockwood and Return.

Thursday, August 18, via Baltimore & Ohio railroad, account Reformed Church reunion at Rockwood. Excursion tickets will be sold from Connellsville at above very low rate. Tickets good on day of issue only.

REDUCED RATES TO LOUISVILLE

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Biennial Encampment, K. of P.

On account of the Biennial Encampment, Knights of Pythias, at Louisville, Ky., August 16 to 29, 1904, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Louisville and return, from all stations on its lines, from August 12 to 15, inclusive, at rate of single fare, plus $1.00, for the round trip. These tickets will be good for return passage to leave Louisville, not later than August 31, and payment of 50 cents, an extension of return limit may be secured to leave Louisville to September 15, inclusive.

World's Fair Excursions.

World's Fair Excursions will be run over the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad daily from New Haven at the following rates:

Season ticket.....$25.25
60-day ticket..... 20.30
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Two fast trains leave Pittsburg daily, the St. Louis Express at 12.50 P. M., and the famous Loupurex Limited at 9.00 P. M., Central time. See W. H. Thomas, ticket agent, for other information.

Florida and the Truck Lands.

The Manatee section of the West Coast of Florida, below the frost line, presents golden opportunities for the trucker and fruit grower. Descriptive pamphlets mailed free. The Seaboard Air Line railway offers the best service to the South and Southwest. For information address W. E. Conklyn, agent, 1411 Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

Read the Daily Courier.

FOUR LIVES FORFEIT.

Mother and Three Young Sons Killed in Collision at Chicago.

HUSBAND IS SEVERELY INJURED

Freight Train Given Wrong Signal Runs Into Passenger Train at Brighton Park, Overturning Two Coaches—Two Employes Arrested.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—A mother and three children were killed and a number of other persons seriously injured in a collision between a westbound Baltimore and Ohio local passenger train and a Chicago and Erie freight at Brighton park railroad crossing.

The passenger train was struck by the freight cars and two of the coaches were overturned. One of the freight cars crashed through the woodwork of one of the coaches, where the four who were killed were seated. They were a family of five and D. C. Schwartz, the father, was the only one who escaped with his life. Although taken from the wreck unconscious and suffering from broken bones and bruises, it is believed that his injuries will not prove fatal. The mother and the three children were killed instantly.

The dead:

Mrs. D. C. Schwartz, 38 years old, Garrett, Ind.

Three boys, children of Mrs. Schwartz ranging in ages from 6 to 11 years

The injured:

D. C. Schwartz, Garrett, Ind., thigh broken, left leg crushed; taken to Mercy hospital.

Michael Cusak, conductor.

C. W. Jones, Mansfield, O., conductor on Baltimore and Ohio train, right leg broken and body bruised.

Miss Jennie Sunderland, Sioux City.

Miss Nellie Drown, New York city.

C. G. H. Arnold, Chicago.

Mrs. H. E. Fry and nephew.

The police arrested Harry Moore, brakeman, and Benjamin F. Waller, conductor of the freight train that caused the disaster. Waller declared that the signalman in an adjoining tower was to blame for the accident, as he, according to Waller, gave the signal for the freight to come ahead, giving it the right of way. After it had started he reversed the signal but it was then too late to prevent the collision.

Pueblo, Aug. 10.—Searching parties scoured the Fountain river banks for miles in the hope of finding the remaining bodies of the victims of Sunday night's wreck at Eden. Seven more bodies were recovered and a number identified.

The total number of identified bodies recovered from the Eden wreck is 73; unidentified dead three. The list of those reported missing has been growing all day and has now nearly reached 40.

BOYCOTT IS ENFORCED.

Chicago Butchers Handling Trust Meat Deprived of Ice.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—The stockyards strike is freer of rioting than at any time since the struggle began. With the exception of one small disturbance in the downtown district, when friends of the strikers discovered a wagonload of meat being hauled through the streets by a retail merchant, a crowd gathered and tried to overturn the vehicle, but they were dispersed.

The strike leaders spent the day in seeing that the boycott against the retail markets which have been placed under the ban of the unions was being enforced. In some instances the strikers were successful in cutting off the supply of ice, but in many of the places the boycott did not work so well as had been expected, the retailers being able to haul what ice they required in their own wagons.

The packers claim that fully 80 per cent of the usual amount of work was carried on. The receipts of live stock, while not large, still were almost normal compared with corresponding days before the strike began. The greater portion of these arrivals were purchased by the packers and before night had been slaughtered. Between 600 and 700 new arrivals were added to the packers' force of employes.

CONSTABLE FIGHTS DUEL.

Is Severely Injured in Attempt to Arrest Alleged Thieves.

Greensburg, Pa., Aug. 10.—Constable Thomas Washabaugh is dangerously wounded and Guiseppi Carlo, a miner, is dying in a cell in the county jail from a wound in the head.

Constable Washabaugh was in search of plunder alleged to have been stolen from Pennsylvania railroad cars when he came upon three Italians in a thicket on the farm of the Keystone Coal and Coke company.

Washabaugh, with the assistance of August Melkerson, attempted to arrest them, when two of them opened fire. Washabaugh received one bullet in the face and another in the back.

Dropping the handcuffs he returned the fire and Carlo fell mortally hurt.

Melkerson was unarmed and made a desperate attempt to overpower the two Italians who had been handcuffed, but they broke away and fled over the hills, leaving Melkerson to watch the wounded man. Washabaugh drove to Greensburg and was taken to his home, where he fainted from loss of blood. A physician pronounced his wounds dangerous.

Mormons Looking for Location.

Butte, Mont., Aug. 10.—A party of 200 Mormons passed through Butte on their way to Alberta, Canada, where they will look over the field in contemplation of settling in the northwest.

Died from Slow Poisoning.

Hartford City, Ind., Aug. 10.—Coroner Hollis says Crystal Krauss had been given intermittent doses of poison for two months before she died.

GEORGE G. VEST IS DEAD.

Career of Former United States Senator from Missouri Is Closed.

Sweet Springs, Mo., Aug. 10.—After lingering for weeks between life and death, former United States Senator George G. Vest passed peacefully away. He was conscious until about 2 a. m., when he sank into a state of coma, from which he never aroused.

He lost the power of speech Saturday morning and during the last 36 hours of his life his breathing was barely perceptible. At the bedside when the end came was his wife, Dr. Jarvis, the family physician; Senator Vest's son, Alexander; his daughter, Mrs. George P. B. Jackson and her husband, and Mrs. Thompson, a niece of Mrs. Vest.

EX-SENATOR GEORGE G. VEST.

The last notable fight made in the United States senate by George Graham Vest was during the controversy over the tariff on coal in January, 1903, following the anthracite coal strike. It was noted then that his brilliant mind was supported by only a frail body, and during the greater part of his argument he remained seated or supported himself with a cane.

Senator Vest's term expired March 4 last, he having declined re-election. He was the last member of the government of the Confederacy who at that time was a member of the congress of the United States. During the period of a generation he had been one of the strongest debaters upon the Democratic side of the senate, and commanded the respect as well as the friendship of his Republican opponents. Mr. Vest was a notable man among the giants of his time, of his section and of the entire country. It has been suggested that as Thomas H. Benton of Missouri wrote his famous work, "Thirty Years in the Senate," so Vest might have made a great and striking contribution to Americans by writing his 40 years' experiences. When he retired from the senate Mr. Vest had served 24 years in that body. Benton served 30 years in the senate and two years in the house. But Mr. Vest's political career began long before he entered the United States senate in 1879. He was in the Missouri legislature in 1860 and afterward served until the end of the Civil war in both the house and senate of the Confederate congress at Richmond.

JEWELS NOT STOLEN.

Mrs. Goelet Finds Her $200,000 Collection in Safety Deposit Box.

New York, Aug. 10.—The detective agency engaged in the search for $200,000 worth of jewels, the property of Mrs. Ogden Goelet, which were supposed to have been stolen, has announced that the jewels were found in Mrs. Goelet's safe in this city.

Mrs Goelet left New York for Newport on June 21 and took her jewel case with her. In the middle of July she went to the case for some of the jewelry and failing to find it there made a thorough search in her Newport residence. In the latter part of July she reported her loss to the detective agency and to Chief of Police Richards of Newport.

After a thorough investigation which indicated that no robbery had been committed, it was suggested to her that the jewels were probably in her safe in this city. Acting on the suggestion Mrs Goelet came here on Monday and on opening the safe found the jewels where she had placed them.

FIGHTING IN ARMENIA.

Turkish Soldiers and Kurds Commit Terrible Atrocities.

London, Aug. 10.—The Tabriz, Persia, correspondent of the Daily News, in a dispatch dated Aug. 6, says:

"On July 13 a band of Armenian revolutionists appeared near Outchkillissa. Turkish soldiers and Kurds, finding an excuse, attacked and destroyed the villages of Outchkillissa, Koomlouboujak, Gougan, Karabazar and Sayto, butchering men and outraging women

"Two large Armenian bands marching to Sassun to help the insurgent leader Aantranik attacked the garrisons at Mossunzory and Goutchagh for revenge on July 25. At dawn bombs were thrown into these places, killing many, and severe fighting ensued. A majority of the soldiers were killed and the garrisons resembled graveyards. One band forced its way through the Kurdish tribes towards Arjess. The number of soldiers killed amounted to several hundred."

STALWARTS WIN POINT.

Republican Factions in Wisconsin Doing Battle in Courts.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 10.—The state supreme court has issued an order giving the "Stalwart" faction of the Republican party of the state authority to bring suit against Secretary of State Houser to restrain him from placing the nominees of the Lafollette state ticket on the official ballot under the regular party designation of "Republican" and compelling him to place the "Stalwart" nominees on the ballot under the designation of Republican

The court granted the request without leaving the bench. The defendant is given 20 days in which to answer and the case will come up for argument Sept. 6.

Lord Curzon Reappointed.

London, Aug 10.—The approval of King Edward of the reappointment of Lord Curzon of Kedlestone as viceroy of India is announced.

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CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Notwithstanding a deluge of sales and a temporary break of over 2½c in the price of wheat, frenzied buying resulted in a net gain of practically a cent a bushel today. Closing prices: Wheat, 101⅞; corn, 53½@53⅝; oats, 35⅝.

PITTSBURG MARKETS.

Aug. 9, 1904.

CORN—No. 2 yellow shelled, 57@57½c; No. 2 yellow ear, 59@60c.

OATS—No 2 white, 46@46½c; No 3, 45@45½c; No. 4, 43@44c.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, $14.50@15; No. 1 clover, $11@11.50; No. 1 mixed, $11.50@12; No. 2 timothy, $13@13.50; packing, $9@9.50.

EGGS—Select, 19½@20c; firsts, 18@19c.

BUTTER—Elgin prints, 20@20½c; small tub, 19@20c; large, 19@19½c; firsts, 16½c; country butter, 12@13c; low grades, 9@10c.

CHEESE—New York, 9½@10c; Ohio cream, 9@9½c; Wisconsin Swiss, block, 13@14c; imported Swiss, 27@32c; limburger, 11@12c; brickstein, 12½c.

CATTLE—Prime to fancy, fat, smooth steers, $5 85@6; green, coarse and rough, fat steers, $4@5; fat, smooth, dry-fed, light steers, $4.75@5.15; choice milch cows, $35@45; medium to good milch cows, $25@35; good, fat, smooth, handy butchers' bulls, $3.50@4; feeding steers, good style, weight and extra quality, $3 75@4; feed steers, common to good quality, $3@3.75; fair to choice stockers, $2 75@3.

CALVES—Veals, good to choice, $5.75@6 50; heavy and thin, $3.50@4.50.

HOGS—Good to prime heavy, $5.70@5.75; heavy mediums, $6@6.10; light mediums, $6.10@6.15; best heavy yorkers, $6.15@6.20; good light yorkers, $6.15@6.20; pigs, good to prime, $6@6.10.

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